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Midnight.

HARRISBURG.

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[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, March 28, 1872.

SENATE.

RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM.

Mr. BILLINGFELT, from the Committee on Retrenchment and Reform, reported further, in connection with the abuses of fitting and furnishing the Capitol buildings, a bill providing that the Speaker of either House shall not draw warrants except for pay and mileage of members, and confining the chief clerks of each House to $2,000 a year for contingent expenses, under penalties of misdemeanor to all parties violating these laws; their accounts to be settled as all other accounts, by approval of the Auditor General and State Treasurer; estimates of stationery for one year to be used in all departments and the Legislature shall be made by the Superintendent of Public Printing, Secretary of the Commonwealth and Auditor General on the 1st of every November, and advertise for proposals in two daily papers in Philadelphia, Harrisburg and Pittsburgh. The Commissioners of Public Grounds shall also advertise for proposals for fuel for one year in two Harrisburg dailies.

EXTENSION OF LOCAL OPTION.

The bill from the House extending the local option bill to the townships of West Deer, East Deer, Pine, Richland, Harrison, North Versailles, South Versailles and North and South Fayette was passed.

CONGRESSIONAL APPORTIONMENT.

Consideration of the Congressional Apportionment bill was resumed. After various minor amendments were defeated, Mr. McClure voting with the Democrats, Mr. McClure stated that he last night voted with the Republicans against Mr. Wallace's Democratic substitute because it was partisan, and for the same reason he should vote against the bill as reported by the Senate Committee. He would not vote for any bill that would not give all parties equal representation. He then offered the following substitute, by which he claimed that the Democrats would have twelve districts and the Republicans fourteen districts:

First District—2d, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 11th and 13th wards, Philadelphia.
Second District—1st, 7th, 8th, 9th and 26th wards, Philadelphia.
Third District—10th, 13th, 14th, 16th, 17th and 18th wards, Philadelphia.
Fourth District—15th, 21st, 24th, 27th, 28th and 29th wards, Philadelphia.
Fifth District—19th, 20th, 22nd, 23d and 25th wards, Philadelphia.
Sixth District—Chester and Delaware.
Seventh District—Montgomery and Lehigh.
Eighth District—Bucks and Northampton.
Ninth District—Berks.
Tenth District—Lancaster.
Eleventh District—Schuylkill, and Carbon.
Twelfth District—Pike, Wayne, Monroe and the northern part of Luzerne.
Thirteenth District—Columbia, Montour and the southern part of Luzerne.
Fourteenth District—Susquehanna, Wyoming and Sullivan.
Fifteenth District—Tioga, Potter, McKean, Cameron, Clinton and Lycoming.
Sixteenth District—Dauphin, Lebanon, Northumberland and Snyder.
Eighteenth District—Adams, Franklin, Fulton, Bedford and Juniata.
Nineteenth District—Mifflin, Union, Huntingdon, Centre, Clearfield, Elk and Jefferson.
Twentieth District—Blair, Cambria, and Westmoreland.
Twenty-first District—Greene, Fayette, Washington and Somerset.
Twenty-second District—The first fourteen wards of Pittsburgh and Allegheny county south of the Monongahela.
Twenty-third District—Allegheny City and the rest of the county.
Twenty-fourth District—Beaver, Armstrong, Lawrence and Butler.
Twenty-fifth District—Mercer, Venango, Clarion and Forest.
Twenty-sixth District—Clearfield and Erie.

This substitute was lost by a tie vote of 16 to 16, the Democrats voting *aye* with McClure; absent—Senator Knight, Democrat. The Republicans all voted *no*.

The House bill as reported by the Senate Republican Committee was then defeated by 15 to 17, McClure voting no with the Democrats. This is the end of any apportionment bill unless it is reconsidered by some compromise or a new bill is offered in either House.

SENATE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

Messrs Graham, Brooke and Purman were appointed a Senate Conference Committee on the annual appropriation bill.

VENTILATION OF COAL MINES.

Afternoon Session.—Mr. WALLACE called up the bill for the ventilation of bituminous coal mines.

Mr. HUMPHREYS offered a substitute authorizing the Governor to appoint three commissioners, one to be recommended by the Pittsburgh Coal Exchange, to investigate the bituminous coal fields and report to the next Legislature by bill or otherwise. He read a communication from the Pittsburgh Coal Exchange endorsing this substitute, and he represented the same as satisfactory to the miners.

Mr. WALLACE opposed and Messrs. PURMAN, ANDERSON and WHITE favored the substitute, which was passed—yeas 18, nays 11—the Allegheny delegation voting *aye*.

Before its final passage Mr. GRAHAM further amended by confining the pay of the Commissioners at five dollars per diem and to one hundred days.

FISH COMMISSIONERS.

Mr. Petriken's bill creating a State Board of Fishery Commissioners was passed finally, with the number of commissioners reduced to James Worrall, William Seiler, J. McClintock Creighton, Samuel Allen and Henry Tagg. It appropriates $70,000.

THE APPORTIONMENT BILL.

The vote defeating the Apportionment bill was reconsidered this afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, it was made the special order for this evening.

HOUSE BILLS PASSED.

Authorizing the Oakland school directors to borrow money.

Authorizing the construction of Wildwood avenue.

THE CARPET WEAVERS.

Mr. GRAHAM introduced a bill for the protection of carpet weavers of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, by preventing the Managers of the Western Penitentiary selling their carpets by retail.

SALE OF LIQUORS.

The bill from the House regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors in Allegheny county, which allows the county treasurer to give an annual license on the payment of the license and a sufficient bond was passed, with an amendment by Messrs. ANDERSON and HUMPHREYS making the execution of the act date from the 1st of May next.

FREE PIPE BILL.

The bill incorporating the Smith's Ferry Oil Transportation Company of Beaver county coming up, Mr. RUTAN introduced amendments substituting the free pipe bill for Beaver and Allegheny counties.

Mr. GRAHAM opposed extension to Allegheny county.

Mr. ALLEN favored the substitute.

Mr. RUTAN blamed Allegheny for trying to legislate for Beaver, and said he had as good a right to legislate for Allegheny as she had to attempt to incorporate a company in Beaver.

The substitute was passed to a second reading.

FURNISHING THE CAPITOL.

Evening Session.—Mr. Billingfelt's bill correcting abuses in fitting and furnishing the capitol was passed finally.

SENATE BILL PASSED.

Regulating the election of school directors in the sub-districts of Pittsburgh.

APPORTIONMENT.

The apportionment bill came up and Mr. Wallace offered the Democratic substitute, which was defeated—ayes 14, nays 17—McClure, Republican, and Randall, Democrat, voting *no* with the Republicans. The bill as reported by the Republican Senate Committee and amended by Mr. Strang yesterday was passed finally—yeas, 17; nays, 14—McClure voting with the Republicans, hoping that something better would come from the Conference Committee. Findley, Democrat, also voted *aye*.

HOUSE.

RIVER BRIDGE.

Mr. MILLER introduced a bill for a bridge over the Youghiogheny river.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

Mr. WHITE called up the resolution urging Congress to establish lights and buoys on the Ohio river. Passed.

THE MILITIA BILL.

The House refused to suspend the rules to pass the militia bill. This is equivalent to its defeat.

EXPLANATION.

The reference made in Pittsburgh papers to attempt to pass another free pipe bill arose from a bill offered by Mr. Ballantine several days ago extending the general manufacturing and mining law, or what is now known as the free pipe bill for the oil regions, to Allegheny county. This bill was introduced in obedience to a dispatch purporting to come from the Petroleum Association of Pittsburgh. This dispatch has since proved to be bogus, and in obedience to the desire of the Petroleum Association, Mr. Ballantine had the bill killed, inasmuch as it would unadvisedly divert the trade to the Baltimore and Ohio route.

PUBLIC BILLS PASSED.

Afternoon Session.—The following House public bills were passed:

Defining the legal holidays to be New Year's, 22d of February, July 4th, Christmas and National and State thanksgiving days.

Relieving laborers, workingmen and journeymen from certain prosecutions and indictments for conspiracy under the criminal law.

Also the Senate bill allowing compensation by railroads to travelers for unused portions of tickets purchased.

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SOUTHSIDE ANNEXATION.

The Southside Annexation Bill passed the House to-day under a suspension of the rules, but when it reached the Senate, it was, on motion of Senator Humphreys, laid over on a second reading.

NEW YORK.

Democratic Pow-Wow at Washington—Jury Fees—Judiciary Investigation—Distillers Indicted—Found Dead—Fifteenth Amendment Celebration—Yachting.

NEW YORK, March 28, 1872.

DEMOCRATIC POW-WOW.

A Washington special to the *Herald* says that August Belmont, Chairman of the National Democratic Committee, reached Washington yesterday morning, and had an informal political caucus, at which about forty of the principal politicians of both Houses were present. The question of holding the National Convention was fully and freely discussed by Casserly, Frank Blair, Stockton, Bayard and others. The feeling was unmistakable against calling the Convention at this time or indicating any positive policy until after the action of the Cincinnati Convention is known. Any coalition with Republicans, it was admitted, must be made on the question of strengh only; there must be no surrender of Democratic principles. It was advised that no Democrats would participate in the Cincinnati Convention. There was less disposition to endorse Judge Davis than was expected. The names of Senator Trumbull and Charles Francis Adams were discussed, and also those of General Logan and Gratz Brown.

JURY FEES.

Since 1870 the law authorized the collection of six dollars in every jury case in any of the courts of record. In three-fourths of the cases, however, it is said, the matter is settled without trial, and, as a lawyer cannot recover the amount without some difficulty, the fees usually remained in the possession of the clerk. In this way some $70,000 are said to have been wrung from litigants. A bill is now pending to abolish these fees.

JUDICIARY INVESTIGATION.

The Judiciary Investigation developed nothing of very great importance yesterday. The witnesses in the evening were David Dudley Field and William F. Howe. The session of the committee will be closed to-night.

The Bar Association now favor the publication of the testimony, so as to allow the community to form its own estimate on it.

FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT CELEBRATION.

A mass meeting of colored men was held this evening to perfect arrangements for the celebration of the passage of the fifteenth amendment. The Police Commissioners have promised protection to the parade. The procession will be a large one. In the evening a grand concert will be given at Association Hall.

YACHTING.

At a meeting of the New York Yacht Club this evening, the time for the annual regatta was fixed for the third Thursday in June, instead of the second, and the ocean race for the Bennett Challenge Cup was set down for the third Thursday in July.

FOUND DEAD.

An elderly lady named Norton was found dead in her room at the residence of Col. Jack, the well-known lawyer of Brooklyn, this morning. There were some eleven persons in the house, all of whom are prostrated from the effects, as is supposed, of coal gas from a defective heater.

SMUGGLING CASES.

A motion was made for arrest of judgment in the cases of Charles Maxan and John Talbot, covicted of smuggling, on the ground of want of jurisdiction, the offense having been committed in New Jersey.

THE INDICTED JERSEY CITY OFFICIALS.

The trials of the Jersey City officials, against whom there are one hundred and seventy-eight indictments, were set for to-day, but in the absence of witnesses, they went over until the next term of court.

DAMAGES AWARDED.

Julia Quinlan was awarded $4,500 damages from the Sixth Avenue railroad for injuries received from a collision of a horse car with a runaway team. No negligence on the part of the company was shown.

A RECEIVER'S WEALTH.

In the Barnard case to-day, Charles Robinson, receiver in several suits growing out of the Albany and Susquehanna litigation, and charged with being irresponsible, swore to being worth $200,000.

FORGER COMMITTED.

Alex. Reavy, a lawyer, was committed in default of bail in $10,000 on a charge of forgery in obtaining the signature of a lady to a sheet of blank paper and filling the page so to obtain her property.

FIRE IN PIERREPONT HOUSE.

A serious conflagration was prevented at the Pierrepont House, though the building and furniture were damaged probably to the amount of $15,000; fully insured. The proprietor, Anderson, had a narrow escape from suffocation.

ARRIVED.

The steamships City of London, from Liverpool, the Perriere, from Brest, and the Atlantic, from Liverpool, have arrived.

The steamers Atlantic, from Liverpool, and Tyran, from the Mediterranean, have arrived.

VAN NORT DENOUNCED.

Albany dispatches mention that in the debate yesterday Senator O'Brien characterized Van Nort, Tweed's successor in the Department of Public Works, as the tool of the old Tammany ring.

OIL NEWS.

A report was current yesterday, which was discredited by the refiners, that the Pennsylvania producers were trying to break the charter of the South Improvement Company.

CRUELTY.

Eliza Curley, aged seven years, was turned into the street yesterday sick with the small-pox, and was found by an officer, who had her sent to the small-pox hospital.

FORGED CHECKS.

Forged certificates of deposits, amounting to $12,700, purporting to be issued by George Opdyke & Co., have been sent here for payment by Iowa and Kentucky banks.

BAIL DENIED.

Judge Cardozo denied the motion admit to bail Michael Hayes, who is alleged to have murdered Peter O'Donnell in 1857.

SPEECHLESS FROM PARALYSIS.

Rev. Dr. Thomas W. Upham, late Professor of Moral Philosophy in Bowdoin College, is speechless and in a critical condition from paralysis, at his residence here.

BOSTON AND NEW YORK EXPRESS COMPANY.

At a meeting of the creditors of the Boston and New York Express Company to-day, it was announced that the debts of the company would shortly be paid.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Michael Hays, charged with the murder of O'Donnell fifteen years ago, was to-day committed for trial.

FUNERAL OF CAPTAIN ADAMS.

The funeral of Captain Adams, of the steamer Morro Castle, took place in Brooklyn this afternoon.

EIGHTH NATIONAL BANK.

The Eighth National Bank began yesterday to pay a dividend of twenty-five per cent. to its depositors.

DISTILLERS INDICTED.

It is rumored that the United States Grand Jury indicted several distillers for violating the revenue laws while Collector Bailey was in office.

ILLNESS OF PROF. MORSE.

Prof. S. F. B. Morse is lying dangerously ill of paralysis of the brain.

HALL'S CASE.

The prosecution intend to take action in the Hall case shortly.

SMALL-POX.

There were eleven cases of small-pox and six deaths.

LOUISVILLE.

Brutal Outrage—Earthquake—The Tobacco Tax—Died.

LOUISVILLE, March 28.—On Wednesday night, the 20th inst., in McCracken county, four men named Bud Jackson, Bill Culp, P. Weatherford and James Vaugh, went to the house of a peaceable and respectable farmer named Shilton, and forced him to swallow an opiate and left him lying insensible in the yard, while the four entered the house and attacked Shilton's wife and daughter, the latter aged fifteen. The women resisted and were knocked down with the butts of pistols. The daughter was knocked down three times. Finally both were tied down and ravished by the villains repeatedly during the night. Jackson and Culp were captured and lodged in jail at Clinton. The rest will probably be taken, as the exasperated neighbors are prosecuting a vigorous search for them.

EARTHQUAKE.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt at Paducah early on Tuesday morning.

THE TOBACCO TAX.

In a full meeting of the Tobacco Board of Trade of this city to-day, a resolution was unanimously passed strongly endorsing the movement for a uniform tax on Tobacco.

DIED.

About two o'clock to-day, Gen. Humphries Marshall died at his residence, in this city, of pneumonia and bronchitis.

POLITICAL.

Meeting of Louisiana Republican Central Committee.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—The Republican State Central Committee, of which Marshall Packard is Chairman, met to-day, and had a long session. They were unanimous and outspoken against compromise with Warmoth, while desirous of conciliating such Republicans as may have been his adherents; but are willing to support the regular party organization. The committee issued a call for a convention, to meet here April 30th, to select delegates to the Philadelphia Convention. The nominations of the State ticket will not be made at this convention.

ALBANY.

New York City Charter.

ALBANY, March 28.—In the Senate, in voting on the New York charter, the question of retaining Van Nort as Commissioner of Public Works was carried by 17 to 6. The motion to strike out the cumulative principle of appointing Commissioners was lost. A motion that no Commissioners be removed except for cause was lost.

NEBRASKA.

Indignation Meeting—The Union Pacific Terminus.

OMAHA, March 28.—The following resolutions were this morning unanimously adopted at Lincoln by the largest assembly of representatives ever convened in Nebraska:

We, the people of the State of Nebraska, assembled in convention at the capital at Lincoln, on this 27th day of March, A. D. 1872, read with indignation the action of the Legislature of the State of Iowa:

First—In memorializing Congress to pass laws to compel the Union Pacific Railroad to change the eastern terminus of its road and make its transfer of freights and passengers in that State.

Second—In passing a law prohibiting all railroads, now or hereafter to be constructed having their terminus at any point on the boundary of that State from making any transfer of freight, passengers or express matter to or with any other railroad company, either by delivery or receiving the same at any other place than in that State.

Third—In providing extraordinary and oppressive resolutions for the enforcement of the provisions of such law.

Fourth—In coercing, by threats of legislative punishment, the railroads of Iowa into an obedience to laws which are arbitrary and unconstitutional, and in view of the fact that these illegal enactments are calculated to destroy the interest in commerce, and are aimed at the commercial life of this commonwealth, therefore, we declare,

First—That by the several acts of Congress giving existence to the Union Pacific Railroad Company, and by the official acts and declaration of the President of the United States and Chief of the Executive Department of the Government, the eastern terminus of the Union Pacific Railroad was and remains established in Nebraska.

Second—Under the laws and acts, vested rights have been obtained for the Pacific Railroad causing a large outlay and extensive issue of its bonded securities—based upon a plan important to its creditors, who have loaned their money and received such securities—to the people of Nebraska, who, giving largely of their lands, money and credit, have sought to reap an abundant harvest resulting therefrom.

Third—That no action such as is desired by the Legislature of Iowa is needed, and neither the Legislature nor the executive department of the National Government can in any manner interfere to destroy the rights thus existing, but must leave all questions and controversy to be decided by the courts, on the basis of existing laws; for any attempt to fix the eastern terminus of the Union Pacific Railroad at a point different from that now established by the laws of the United States, or in effect to compel it to receive or deliver freight and passengers at a point beyond its legal terminus in another State, would be a wanton attack upon its vested rights, and an effort to impair the obligation of existing contracts.

Fourth—That the act of the Legislature of Iowa prohibiting the railroads in that State from transferring freight and passengers to connecting roads except within its limits, is an assumption of power to regulate the commerce among the several States—vested by the Constitution of the United States exclusively in Congress. Under such assumed right any State in the Union could go further and prohibit any transfer on its own soil of freight and passengers to be carried beyond the limits of the State, and could forbid the railroads of adjoining States from coming into its territory to take freight and passengers out of it. Thus the entire inter-state commerce, business and travel of the country may, by the factious and arbitrary legislation of any State, be halted at its boundary lines, and compelled to submit to vexatious, interruptions and unjust exactions, or be totally interdicted.

Fifth—This unprecedented and unconstitutional action we denounce as an arbitrary and arrogant, and the effort of the Legislature of that State to aggrandize Iowa at the expense of her sister State, and make Nebraska a mere tributary province should not be submitted to without indignant reproof and determined opposition.

Sixth—The people of this sovereign State do solemnly protest against the unwarrantable attempt to interfere with the freedom of commerce and business of adjoining States in the interest of a border town as repugnant to the letter and spirit of the Constitution of the United States, as hostile to the interest and rights of this State and its citizens, and all do hereby declare that such legislation shall be resisted to the utmost in every rightful and proper manner.

Seventh—We respectfully ask Congress, in view of this extraordinary enactment, to consider whether any further legislation by Federal power is necessary to secure freedom to commerce among the States, and we call upon the Legislature of Iowa, which opportunity, without due reflection, was led by the intemperate and passionate appeal of a disappointed community with the passage of this obnoxious act, to report the same, and not present to the people the unseemly spectacle of a State setting at defiance the superior law of the land, repudiating the comity of States, claiming for herself all privileges and yielding to others none.

Eighth—That in view of this hostile legislation we call upon our capitalists and business men to take immediate measures to construct a complete line of railroad from the southern to the northern boundary of this State to the end that the trading business of our State, as well as the commerce west of us, may find its way to and from the south and east. These recommendations are not made in a retaliatory spirit, but solely for the purpose of suggesting to our people a way by which they can easily avoid paying tribute, and bear burdens which are sought to be imposed upon us; that a committee be at once appointed, composed of representative men, to visit the city of St. Louis, and lay before its Board of Trade this enterprise, and procure, if possible, the assistance of the people of that city and the State of Missouri, and of their capitalists and railroad corporations in aid of the construction of said road.

Ninth—That the Union Pacific Railroad Company received from the Government its right of way through the entire limits of this State, together with a subsidy of the territorial domain to the amount of seven million acres of land free, which otherwise would have been open to actual settlers at Government prices, and has at this time within our limits almost five hundred miles of railroad in operation; that in addition to all this Omaha and Douglass county, Nebraska, and the citizens thereof, have donated in aid of this enterprise more than one million dollars. In consideration therefore the Union Pacific Railroad Company has entered into a solemn contract with them, by the terms of which it has agreed to give to Nebraska all the benefits which legitimately result from the maintenance of the terminus of its road, where it is established by the existing law.

Tenth—That while we cheerfully acknowledge the great importance and advantage resulting from the construction and operation of the Union Pacific Railroad through our State, and recommend friendly and liberal legislation towards the said corporation, still the people of this State have reason to expect and a right to demand of said company a strict fulfillment of its part of the contracts with us.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—Metz, Linn & Co.'s iron foundry was burned in Brooklyn, on Thursday morning. Loss, $27,000.

—The New York and Philadelphia Railroad bill was defeated in the New Jersey Senate by 6 to 12.

—An immense anti-admission meeting was held at Salt Lake, Utah, on Wednesday evening.

—All disposals of colored troops at Newport Barracks, Kentucky, have been ordered to Galveston.

—Four dealers in obscene literature in Baltimore were on Wednesday fined two hundred dollars each in the Criminal Court.

—The Virginia State Treasurer will commence paying the semi-annual installment of two per cent. interest of the public debt next Monday.

—Navigation on the Hudson river is open for a distance of one hundred and fifteen miles from New York, and steamboats can go straight through to Albany without much difficulty.

—John W. Hulen, late State Pension Agent of Michigan, who has been on trial at Jackson, for embezzlement, on Thursday morning plead guilty, and received a sentence of five years and a-half in the State prison.

—It is rumored that the ordering of the steamer Wyoming to Aspinwall has reference to the case of the steamer Virginius, and that her commander has orders to fire on the Spanish man-of-war should she attempt to molest the Virginius.

—The St. Louis Democrat Company filed articles of association yesterday in the office of the Secretary of State at Jefferson City, Mo., capital stock, $500,000. The corporators are Geo. W. Fishback, Henry C. Yaeger, Richard Holmes and Geo. P. Whitelaw.

—Charles Carby, engine dispatcher, and John Kyle, engineer on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, while playing cards at Bauer's Hotel, Jefferson City, Mo., on Wednesday night, got into an altercation and Carby struck Kyle, whereupon the latter stabbed Carby four times, inflicting mortal wounds.

—European advices state that the town of Shamaka, in Transcaucasia, was almost entirely destroyed by a recent earthquake. The number of persons killed was one hundred and thirty-seven, and the destruction of property very large. A considerable portion of the country was converted into a desert, and the inhabitants reduced to great misery by the destruction of all the crops.

The Discovery of Coffee.

Toward the middle of the fifteenth century a poor Arab was traveling through Abyssinia, and finding himself weak and weary from fatigue, he stopped near a grove. Then, being in want of fuel to cook his rice, he cut down a tree which happened to be covered with dead berries. His meal being cooked and eaten, the traveler discovered that the half-burned berries were very fragrant. He collected a number of these, and, on crushing them with a stone, he found that their aroma increased to a great extent. While wondering at this, he accidently let fall the substance in a can which contained his scanty supply of water. Lo, what a miracle! The almost putrid liquid was instantly purified. He brought it to his lips: it was fresh, agreeable; and in a moment after the traveler had so far recovered his strength and energy as to be able to resume his journey. The lucky Arab gathered as many berries as he could, and having arrived at Arden, in Arabia, he informed the Mufti of his discovery. That worthy divine was an inveterate opium smoker, who had been suffering for years from the influence of that poisonous drug. He tried an infusion of the roasted berries, and was so delighted at the recovery of his own vigor, that in gratitude to the tree he called it cahuah, which in Arabic signifies force. And that is the way in which coffee was discovered.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

SECOND EDITION.

Four O'Clock.

THE CAPITAL.

Mexican Depredations

Sale of Arms to France—Mail Service to China—Japanese Indemnity Fund—Weather Probabilities—Robeson Investigation.

WASHINGTON, March 28, 1872.

SALE OF ARMS TO FRANCE.

It is reported that in the first or second week in January the Marquis de Chambrun told a gentleman in this city that he went personally to President Grant in regard to the French arms business and told him that he desired access to the accounts of the War Department. The President treated him most cordially, and not only gave him an order to examine the accounts, but to take copies if he desired.

When several days after this a letter was sent to M. Bellmont, the Charge D'Affaires, the latter said to M. Chambrun that he could not consider the communication as official, because it could not be received as such by him; for, according to French law, the letters belong to two parties, the one who writes and the one who receives. Therefore, as Chambrun received its contents intermediately, it belonged to him. It is the same that appears in the preamble to Sumner's resolution.

The Marquis De Chambrun was to-day before the Senate Arms Committee. In the course of his examination he read from a private note addressed by his uncle, who is French Minister of Foreign Affairs, saying he had not prescribed any investigation into the Remington affair; that if Remington had committed any misdemeanor against the Government, he would not prosecute him in the United States.

It appeared from his testimony that he is not connected with the French legation in any diplomatic capacity, but acts as counsel, and is also engaged in the prosecution of claims of French citizens. The witness gave an account of the transactions of M. Place in New York, who had been advised by him, at the instance of the French legation, not to buy any arms, but to keep quiet. After Place was tried in France and acquitted, he wrote to the Marquis showing the worthlessness of the testimony against him, and enclosing a copy of a letter of Remington to Lecesne. Chambrun, owing to the press of business, had this lettter in his possession six weeks before he read it carefully. The secretary said if anything were wrong, he desired Chambrun to prefer charges in writing; when the Marquis said he could not do so, not being an American citizen, but he would help him to make an investigation to find out the truth regarding fraudulent transactions in the sale of arms. The Secretary did not appear to be exceedingly struck with his argument, but said, "If you prefer charges, I will make short work with those fellows." The Marquis repeated that he could not make such charges, for the reason given, adding, "The Government of France has no desire to interfere with this case at all."

ROBESON INVESTIGATION.

The committee to investigate the charges against Secretary Robeson met to-night. All the members were present. Mr. Archer appeared in place of Voorhees, declined. Robeson said he would not employ counsel, but intended to be present at all the meetings of the committee, if possible. The Secretary then read a paper he had prepared, relative to the charges made against him by the *Sun*, and insisted that the accusations should assume some definite shape before the committee, and that his accuser, who had not scrupled to produce them before the public, should be the first called on to make them good or abjure them under oath. If the publisher should establish the definite charge he has made, it would hardly be necessary for the committee to go farther; but if he refuses, or fails to sustain them by oath and witnesses, he would stand before the committee a convicted and wanton libeler. It would then be proper for the committee to determine to what extent he should be entrusted with the management of the case.

Bartlett, counsel for Dana, said they were desirous to present to the committee proof of the charges in the New York *Sun*, as well as other grave charges in regard to the administration of the Navy Department, and every effort made was to procure the largest possible scope, that they might not be confined to charges not published, but other charges as grave and within their knowledge. It had taken one member of the committee four days to resign his place. On two successive evenings the Secretary of the Navy attended here, and this was the first they heard of what was to be made of the procedure of the committee.

After a conversation between the members, Mr. Peters offered the following ressolution:

Resolved, That the resolution of the committee heretofore adopted allowing the editor of the New York *Sun* to appear with counsel and examine witnesses is not to be construed to extend beyond the evidence to sustain the charges against the Secretary of the Navy contained in articles heretofore published in that newspaper.

The resolution was adopted.

MEXICAN DEPREDATIONS.

A delegation from Texas, headed by Senator Hamilton, waited on the President this morning, in relation to Mexican depredations on the frontier. The delgation represented that on a recent date a party of forty regular Mexican troops in uniform crossed the Rio Grande at a point above Brownsville, arrested the United States Customs Inspector, together with a number of citizens, and held them until they had crossed into Mexico. They drove off 500 or 600 stolen cattle. It was further represented that the depredations on stock alone by raiders from Mexico into Texas in the last six years will reach from six to ten million dollars in value, and the system of brands prevailing in Texas will enable the sufferers to establish a legitimate claim against Mexico from various county records. The President replied that the subject had been one of frequent communications to the Mexican Government, which would no doubt willingly afford relief; but it seemed powerless while internal revolutions continued in the northern States of Mexico. The commercial phases of the question were also discussed, and it was suggested that the order of the Secretary of the Treasury prohibiting the clearance of vessels from points above Brownsville was a virtual blockade of the Rio Grande, and therefore illegal. The President took notes of the conversation, and promised to bring all questions before the Cabinet.

The delegation subsequently called on the Secretary of the Treasury on the commercial questions involved. The Secretary admitted that the order prohibiting trade above Brownsville was of questionable legality, and unless it was made the subject of an Executive order, the order from the Treasury Department will be revoked.

JAPANESE INDEMNITY FUND.

B. G. Northrop, of New Haven, Connecticut, State Superintendent of Education, appeared before the House Committee on Foreign Affairs this morning, in advocacy of the proposition to devote the Japanese Indemnity Fund, now amounting to over $720,000, to purposes of education, under the pledge and control of the Japanese government. The plan urged contemplates a system of normal schools for the higher branches of education. Instruction is to be given in the Japanese language, expressed by the Roman characters of our alphabet.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

The barometer will continue falling on Friday over the southern States, with partially cloudy but pleasant weather, except probably over the eastern Gulf States. South-easterly to south-westerly winds with partially cloudy weather will prevail over the New England and Middle States, except probably along the lower lake region. Partly cloudy and possibly threatening weather will prevail north of the Ohio valley, with light, fresh and variable winds.

CUSTOM HOUSE INVESTIGATION.

The Senate New York Custom House Investigating Committee had a special session to-day, and examined Wm. Orton, ex-Commissioner of Internal Revenue, as to the advisability of a continuation of the system of moieties in the New York Custom House.

MAIL SERVICE TO CHINA.

The Senate Committee on Postoffices and Postroads this morning agreed to move an amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill, when it comes up in the Senate, authorizing semi-monthly mail service between California and China, and increasing the subsidy of the China mail line to one million dollars per annum.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORTS.

The House Committee on Appropriations to-day heard the argument of Hon. Wm. Orton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company, in regard to the proper rates of compensation for transmitting the signal service reports, and on other collateral questions.

QUARTERMASTERS' QUESTION.

The House Committee on Military Affairs did not settle the disputed Quartermasters' question this morning, as was expected.

CINCINNATI.

The May Convention.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—The Committee of Arrangements for the May Convention have issued a circular inviting voters, without distinction as to party, to join in sustaining the Constitution as it is and in securing civil service reform, a tariff for revenue only, general amnesty for past political offenses, and local self-government. It says further, that while the objects of the Liberal Republican and Revenue Reform organizations are in the main the same, the latter organization has for its special object the gathering together of all parties in favor of these principles, and states that arrangements have been made with most of the railroads to return persons free who have paid full fare coming to the Convention. The Convention will make use of both Mozart Hall and Expression Hall. The committee is using every effort to insure provision for the convenience and comfort of all who may come.

—The flouring mill belonging to Messrs. Kirkwood & Miller, in Coralville, Iowa, took fire from a heated journal and burned to the ground last Thursday night. Loss, $37,000; insured for $12,500.

CONGRESS.

The Tariff Question.

Chicago Relief Bill—Steamboat Bill—Settling Titles to Boundary Lands.

WASHINGTON, March 28, 1872.

SENATE.

SETTLING TITLES TO LANDS.

On motion of Mr. TRUMBULL, a bill was passed settling the titles of certain lands along the boundary between Georgia and Florida.

PUBLISHING DEBATES.

The report of the Committee on Conference on the bill publishing the debates of Congress was concurred.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE.

On motion of Mr. HOWE, a Committee of Conference was appointed on the Bayfield and St. Croix Railroad bill. The Vice President appointed Messrs. Carpenter, Pomeroy and Kelly.

THE TARIFF QUESTION.

Mr. Casserly's amendment offered yesterday, and referred to the Committee of Conference on the bill to repeal the duty on tea and coffee, was taken up.

The amendment adding to the bill the free list of the Senate tariff bill was concurred in.

On motion of Mr. WRIGHT, the Senate concurred in the House amendment to the Chicago relief bill exempting lumber from the operation of the act.

Mr. HAMILTON (Ind.) moved to amend so as to reduce the duty on steel rails ten per cent. Lost—yeas 25, nays 28.

The question was then taken on the amendment made in Committee adding the second section of the tariff bill reducing the duties on cotton, woolens, silks, iron, earthenware, glassware, &c., ten per cent., and it was concurred in—yeas 22, nays 17.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN moved to strike out the section of manufacture s of silk, now subject to a duty of six per cent., which was agreed to—yeas 28, nays 24. This leaves the duty unchanged.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN offered two other amendments striking out items, which were rejected.

The third section of the tariff bill was then added.

Mr. HAMLIN said that the whole of the tariff bill reported from the Finance Committee had now been adopted except the first section, and he moved that that first section be adopted as a substitute for the first section of the tea and coffee bill now under consideration. He would except, however, from the first section of the tariff bill the clauses relating to rice and to iron wire cloth, so as to leave all present duties on those articles unchanged.

After some debate, Mr. HAMLIN modified his amendment so as to make the duty on tea eight cents per pound and on coffee one and one-half cent per pound.

Mr. EDMUNDS moved to strike from the amendment offered by Mr. Hamlin the paragraph as to tea and coffee, and to insert a positive provision that after July 1st tea and coffee should be free. Lost—yeas 21, nays 25.

Mr. TRUMBULL moved to reduce the duty on salt to three cents per hundred pounds. Lost—15, nays 20.

Mr. Hamlin's amendment was then rejected—yeas 15, nays 28.

Mr. TRUMBULL moved the same amendment offered by Mr. Hamlin, omitting the paragraphs relating to tea and coffee. Adopted—yeas 22, nays 18.

Mr. SCOTT offered an amendment repealing all internal taxes except those on whisky, tobacco and malt liquors. In answer to a question, he said he meant to include the income tax for the current year.

Mr. CONKLING predicted that if the bill as it now stood should be passed by both Houses, there would be no reduction of internal taxes at this session of Congress.

Mr. MORTON favored a large reduction of internal tax, but thought the amendment went too far. He did not think a tax which was already due, like the income tax, should be taken off.

Mr. SCOTT modified his amendment to provide that all internal taxes on illuminating gas, the income tax, the taxes imposed by section 110 of the internal revenue act of June of 1864, except the tax on banks and bankers, and all taxes by stamps, except such as relate to distilled spirits, fermented liquors, snuff, tobacco and cigars, be repealed, said repeal to take effect on the 1st of July, 1872.

Pending the discussion to repeal, motions to adjourn were made and negatived.

Mr. SHERMAN opposed hasty legislation in this connection, and said that it was discourteous to the House of Representatives, while a committee of that body was laboriously engaged in considering the subject of internal taxes, for the Senate to take action in the matter.

Mr. CONKLING said it was no more discourteous than the Senate considering the tariff bill while the House committee was engaged on the same subject.

Mr. BLAIR moved to omit the income tax from Mr. Scott's amendment. Lost—ayes 19, and nays 21.

The question was then taken on Mr. Scott's amendment, when it was carried—ayes 28, nays 11.

Mr. SHERMAN then expressed his opinion that the bill would be killed by the adoption of this amendment, and he believed it was so intended.

The bill was then passed amid great confusion by a vote of 35 to Messrs. Boreman, Hamlin, Frelinghuysen and Scott in the negative.

It now goes to the House for concurrence in the amendments, which include substantially the Tariff bill reported by the Senate Finance Committee and a wholesale reduction of internal taxes involved in Mr. Scott's amendment to the first section providing for free tea and coffee.

The Senate then, at 9:40, adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.

OPPOSED TO REDUCTION OF DUTY.

Remonstrances were presented against the proposed reduction of the duty on earthenware or stoneware.

BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC R. R. DEPOT.

The bill for a railroad depot in Washington for the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad came up, and various propositions were made as to the settlement of the difficulty, which has occupied the House for several days.

CHICAGO RELIEF BILL.

Mr. BOOTH suggested an amendment requiring the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Company to pay a rental for the use of the property, to go to the fund for the poor of the district. All efforts having failed to reach a compromise of the question, the minority of the House again resorted to the filibustering policy.

Mr. DAWES, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported back the Chicago relief bill, and intimated that he would allow an amendment to be offered excepting lumber from its operations.

Mr. FARWELL offered that amendment.

Mr. FINKELNBURG suggested that that meant that the lumber interests of Michigan and Wisconsin having been saved, they were willing that all other interests should be sacrificed.

Mr. Farwwell's amendment was agreed to without a division, and the Senate amendment as thus modified was concurred in. The concurrence of the Senate in that modification is all that is now necessary before the bill is sent to the President for his approval and signature.

THE STEAMBOAT BILL.

At two o'clock the bill reported last week from the Committee on Commerce to amend the act of the 21st of February, 1871, for the better security of life on board vessels propelled in whole or in part by steam, came up as the special order for the day, and from day to day until disposed of. The bill contains seventy-one sections and covers eighty-two printed pages.

TRANSPORTATION OF BONDED GOODS.

Pending consideration of the steamboat bill, Mr. DAWES presented the conference report on the bill providing for contigencies in the transportation of goods in bond across the country.

The committee recommends additional provision in cases of blockade by ice, &c., allowing the transfer of goods from one vessel to another. The report was agreed to.

STEAMBOAT BILL RESUMED.

Consideration of the steamboat bill was then resumed. Some considerable progress was made in the steamboat bill.

RAILROAD LAND GRANT BILL.

On motion of Mr. KETCHUM, a Committee of Conference was appointed on the St. Croix and Lake Superior Railroad land grant bill.

The House then adjourned till Monday.

COLUMBUS.

Legislative Proceedings.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 28.—In the Senate bills were introduced providing that if any justice of the peace, constable, clerk of court or sheriff shall charge or receive more than the legal fees or costs, he shall be fined not exceeding one hundred dollars, shall be liable for treble the amount of damages to the party injured, shall forfeit his office, and be ineligible to office for five years thereafter.

A bill was also introduced to abandon two miles of the bed of the Ohio Canal at Cleveland for city purposes.

The House bill to punish, by heavy penalties, the unlawful cutting or taking of timber, was passed.

The bill to provide for the enacting of monuments to the memory of ex-President Wm. Henry Harrison, Gen. Thomas, L. Harmar and Simon Kenton was defeated.

A resolution was offered and ordered printed asking the Ohio members of Congress to support a proposition to construct a canal around Niagara Falls on the American side, as in their judgment will secure cheap transportation. A resolution was also offered and ordered printed for the appointment of three commissioners to visit the reformatory and correctional institutions of the State, and examine into the present system of convict labor, and report what legislation is necessary.

NASHVILLE.

City Authorities Censured.

NASHVILLE, March 28.—The House to-day adopted Mr. Paine's resolution condemning mob law. Mr. Freeman's resolution censuring the Nashville municipal authorities for inefficiency, and instructing the Governor in the future not to depend upon subordinate authorities, but to act promptly himself, gave rise to long debate, which is not concluded.

—The Superintendent of the Iron Mountain Railroad states that the decision of the Supreme Court on Tuesday relative to taxes on railroads has no application whatever to that road.

FOREIGN.

Coal Mine Explosion

Twenty-eight Killed and Eleven Injured—The Mexican Revolution—Gen. Trochu's Libel Suit Against the "Figaro."

MEXICO.

THE REVOLUTION.

NEW YORK, March 28.—A special dispatch from Matamoras says that General Trevino in his official report of the battle of Zacatecas states that he had combined the revolutionary forces from San Luis Potosi, Guanajuato, Jalisco and Aguas Calientes, in all 8,000 men, for the attack against Rocha, who had about the same number of Government troops. Trevino admits a loss on his side of 800 men, dead and wounded, but claims that the enemy suffered equally as great a loss. Trevino states that he captured three guns, and six officers with eighty men, but lost some mountain howitzers.

Another attack is to be made on Zacatecas as soon as Diaz is in the State of Guanajuato, threatening the capital city of that name. A portion of General Rocha's troops have gone there to oppose him. The revolutionist Laroz is depredating about the city of Mexico. Cortina is committing depredations in the State of Nuevo Leon.

MATAMORAS, March 28.—The revolutionists still hold Gattello Monterey in the interior and numerous places on the frontier. If they can concentrate their forces, as they are endeavoring to do, they will be able to make a stand. But their speedy overthrow is predicted by the friends of the Government.

CAMARGO, MEXICO, March 26.—Gen. Quiroga officially announced to the army the receipt of a telegram, through Gen. Trevino at Monterey, from Gen. Garcia de la Cordena, at Saltillo, informing him of the complete route of Gen. Rocha's forces near Zacatecas by Generals Gonato, Gerena and Nanaujo, and their pursuit beyond Zacatecas, and the reoccupation of that city by the revolutionists. The victory is being celebrated at Monterey and in this city by salvos of artillery, ringing bells and music, amid great excitement.

Forced loans are being ruthlessly exacted in this city and Monterey, under the threat if foreign merchants do not pay within twenty-four hours, the delinquents will be expelled from the country.

MATAMORAS, March 28, *via* NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—General Cortena having ventured into the southern part of the State of Nuevo Leon, men were detailed to pursue him by Gen Quirago, and had defeated him at Morelos on the 24th, and were in hot pursuit of his routed forces, who were retreating towards the State of Taumalipas for safety. It is stated here that Gens. Trevino and Quirago are preparing to advance on this city with the united forces at once, leaving to Generals Tuira, Naranjo and Martinez to oppose the Government forces in the State of Zacatecas, San Luis, Caohala and Reuvaleon.

FRANCE.

TROCHU'S LIBEL SUIT.

PARIS, March 28.—The trial of action for libel brought against the *Figaro* by Gen. Trochu was resumed to-day, and continued to absorb public attention, the Court room being filled with spectators. The particular article to which Gen. Trochu has taken exception, and on which he bases his case, is one which alleged that he deserted Empress Eugenie when he had sworn to support her.

A deposition of Marshal MacMahon was read, stating that Gen. Trochu insisted at Chalons, before the movement to Sedan, that the Belleville and Montmartre Mobiles should be allowed to return to Paris.

A large number of well known persons were also examined, and their evidence was to the effect that Gen. Trochu was incapable of treason.

GREAT BRITAIN.

FEARFUL EXPLOSION.

LONDON, March 29—5 A. M.—An explosion occurred in a coal mine at Atherton, near Bolton, by which twenty-eight men were killed outright. Eleven were rescued, but they are fearfully burned, and nearly all will probably die. There is great excitement in the vicinity of the mine.

RECORDER OF LONDON.

LONDON, March 28.—The Right Hon. Russell Guerney, English member of the American and British Joint Claims Commission, has resigned his position as Recorder of the city of London, and Thomas Chambers, M. P., the present Common Sergeant of the city, has been appointed Recorder.

MARINE NEWS.

LONDONDERRY, March 28.—The steamship Australia, from New York for Glasgow, has arrived.

QUEENSTOWN, March 28.—The steamer Tripoli, from Boston, has arrived.

Seeing the Point.

A boy returned from school one day with a report that his scholarship had fallen below the usual average.

"Well," said his father, "you've fallen behind this month, have you?"

"Yes, sir."

"How did that happen?"

"Don't know, sir."

The father knew if the son did not. He had observed a number of dime novels scattered about the house; but had not thought it worth while to say anything until a fitting opportunity should offer itself. A basket of apples stood upon the floor, and he said:

"Empty out those apples and take the basket and bring it to me half full of chips."

Suspecting nothing, the son obeyed.

"And now," he continued, "put those apples back into the basket."

When half the apples were replaced the son said:

"Father, they roll off. I can't put in any more."

"Put them in, I tell you."

"But, father, I can't put them in."

"You can't? No, of course you can't put them in. Do you expect to fill it with apples? You said you didn't know how you fell behind at school, and I will tell you. Your mind is like that basket. And here you have been the last month filling it up with chip dirt—dime novels."

The boy turned on his heel, whistled and said, "Whew! I see the point."

Not a dime novel has been seen in the house from that day to this.

Other and older persons might well see the point.

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TO LET.

TO LET.—A COMMODIOUS DWELLING house of eight rooms and finished attic with all modern improvements, No. 137 Wylie avenue. Rent low, apply to WM. BYRNES, No. 96 Diamond street. mh28:n97

TO LET—HOUSES.—TWO NEW BRICK dwelling houses on Franklin street, near Washington street; Mansard roof, 8 rooms and bath room; Boston range in kitchen; five minutes walk from post-office. Also, Drug store with fixtures, corner Wylie and Washington streets. Inquire of H. PERRY, 107 Wood St. mh28-n94

TO LET.—TWO PLEASANT ROOMS can be had by inquiring at No. 89 Boyle street, Allegheny. mh27

TO LET.—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED ROOMS, at No. 35 Ross street, Pittsburgh. mh21

TO LET—THAT THREE STORY BUSINESS HOUSE, No. 93, next the Bank of Pittsburgh, Third Avenue, recently occupied as the U. P. Bible Depository. Enquire at BANK OF PITTSBURGH. mh19:n38.

TO LET.—ROOMS ON FIFTH AVENUE, in First National Bank Building. One Room in Basement, fronting on Fifth avenue. One Room in second story, fronting Fifth avenue. Inquire of J. D. SCULLY, Cashier.

TO LET—FROM APRIL FIRST, TWO DWELLING HOUSES, Nos. 72 and 174 Second avenue. Also, WAREHOUSE corner of First and Wood street. Apply to ANDREW D. SMITH, at Park & Co., Second avenue. ja26:j58

TO LET—LARGE STORE ROOM WITH or without dwelling. Rent moderate. Possession given immediately. Location on one of the best streets in the city, suitable for either wholesale or retail business. For further information address letters C. K., this office. mh26:n80

TO LET.

That Desirable Business Stand

on the corner of Taylor avenue and Monterey street, Allegheny City, with Dwelling attached, Plate Glass Front and Stone Pavement. Admirably adapted for Fancy Grocery, Confectionery or Drug Store. Also, adjoining the above, on Taylor avenue, THREE NEW TWO STORIED PRESSED BRICK DWELLINGS, eight Rooms each; Gas and Water; Boston Range; inside shutters, with French Glass in front windows.

Inquire of
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Storage Rooms

In BINGHAM & CASSELL'S WAREHOUSE, 364 and 370 Penn avenue.

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FOR SALE.
1 set double harness.
1 small 3 spring wagon.
1 barouche—panel sides.
1 reliable family horse.
1 good milch cow—will be fresh soon.
The owner having just removed from the country, will sell the above very cheap. Apply at 196 South avenue, Allegheny. mh29:o7

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THE FOLLOWING

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New and perfect, will be sold at a bargain, FOR CASH.

One 16-inch. Bore, 30-inch. Stroke, Double Valve.
One 14 do. do. do. do., do.
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All on Iron Beds, every Joint Planed or Turned.

Also, TWO DOUBLE-FLUED BOILERS, nearly new, made of Lloyd & Black's C H No. 1 iron, No. 3, Gauge and Hot Riveted, 38 inches diameter and 24 feet long; one 42 inches diameter and 22 feet long.

Also, large lot of SHAFTING and PULLEYS.

Enquire of
HUGH M. BOLE,
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FOR SALE—SEVERAL GOOD MORTGAGES—Apply to ISAAC M. PENNOCK, 59 Fourth avenue. mh7:n46

FOR SALE—A 7 YEARS' LEASE OF building, with Machinery of the IRON CITY SPICE MILL, now doing a good business. Enquire of J. E. STRICKLER, No. 195 Fifth Avenue. mh6:m30

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FOR SALE—DRUG STORE.—A FIRST-CLASS DRUG STORE in a manufacturing town, centrally located and on a principal thoroughfare, doing a good business. Stock and fixtures new. Satisfactory reasons given for selling. For particulars, &c., address Lock Box 14, McKeesport, Pa.

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FOR SALE.—10 ACRES IN CHARTIERS township, cheap. 14 acres, with Buildings, one mile from Brodhead Station. 2 New Houses, Mt. Washington, cheap. 15x275 Western avenue, extending to Lincoln avenue. 33 Locust street, Allegheny city. Fine Residence on Lincoln avenue, with two Lots. Fine residence and 6 Acres on South Side. 1,200 Lots in Borough of Espy at very low prices, Twenty equal annual payments. These lots are not over two miles from the Postoffice. Why go seven to ten miles from your work to buy a lot? Come and see. THOS. F. STEWART, Dealer in Real Estate, Notes, Bonds and Mortgages. 48 Fifth avenue. no7

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In Somerset County, Fronting on Connellsville Railroad.

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LOST.

LOST.—STRAYED ON 21st MARCH, a BLACK AND WHITE COW, bearing the second calf. Any person returning her to or giving information of her whereabouts to SAMSON CHEVERS, Irwin Station, Westmoreland county, will be paid all charges. mh26:n77

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ROBINSON'S METALLIC SIGN LETTERS make the nicest sign for business houses made, finished in Gold, Bronze and Colors. Send for descriptive circular to LIVINGSTON & CO., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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☞**CITIZENS' PASSENGER RAILWAY.**

NOTICE.

On and after WEDNESDAY, April 10th, the cars of the CITIZENS' PASSEGER RAILWAY will stop only at cross Streets and Alleys on the route—at the upper crossings going east and the lower crossings coming west. This change has been made in order to accommodate the patrons of the road. By order.

mh29-o10 JAMES VERNER, President.

☞**CITY DEPOSIT BANK AND TRUST COMPANY.**—The annual election for nine Directors of this bank will be held on Tuesday, April 9th, 1872, at the bank, corner Penn and Frankstown avenue, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, P. M.
B. M. EVERSON,
mh28:n1 Cashier.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
ALLEGHENY, PA., March 19, 1872.

☞**AN ELECTION FOR SEVEN DIRECTORS** will be held on TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd, between the hours of 2 and 5 P. M., at the Banking House, No. 12 West Ohio street.
mh19:n33 JAMES H. RIDDLE, Cashier.

☞**AN ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT** and SIX DIRECTORS of the Manchester Savings Bank will be held at their Banking House on SATURDAY, the 30th day of March, 1872, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock.
THOS. B. UPDIKE, Cashier.
ALLEGHENY, March 15th, 1872. mh16:n25

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞**DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC** should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested, to leave their orders at the office of their respective Gas companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, and they shall receive prompt attention.
R. H. SMITH,
fe3 Inspector.

☞**CARD.—HAVING LEASED THE** large and commodious dwelling house, No. 101 South avenue, Allegheny, for a term of years, I intend keeping a FIRST-CLASS BOARDING HOUSE for Ladies and Gentlemen. The house has twenty rooms, with bath room, water and gas, with about an acre of ground around the house. The house has been newly painted and papered, and put in excellent order. Is convenient to Street Railway; the Rebecca street line passes the back door. The house will be ready for occupancy on the 1st of April. For terms, &c., apply at house or at the Hardware store of Oscar F. Lamm & Co., No. 40 Federal street, Allegheny.
MRS. L. McKEAN.
Allegheny, March 25. mh27-n89

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the grading of Brown street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Committee on Streets be, and they are hereby authorized and directed, to invite and receive proposals for the grading of Brown street, from Walker street to terminus of said street, and to contract therefore with the lowest and best bidder or bidders, at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for defraying the cost and expenses of the same, there is hereby levied a special assessment, said assessment to be made and collected, as provided by the Act of Assembly, entitled an "Act relative to streets in the city of Allegheny," approved April 1st, 1870.

SEC. 3. That all Ordinances and parts of Ordinances inconsistent herewith be and are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this the 18th day of March, A. D. 1871.

JAMES McBRIER, President of Select Council.
Attest: J. R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.
HUGH McNEILL, President pro tem. of Common Council.
Attest: R. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. mh29

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading of Fulton street, from Western avenue to Ridge avenue.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Committee on Streets be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the Grading of Fulton street, from Western avenue to Ridge avenue, and to contract therefore with the lowest and best bidder or bidders at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for defraying the cost and expenses of the same, there is hereby levied a special assessment, said assessment to be made and collected as provided by the Act of Assembly, entitled an "Act relative to Streets in the City of Allegheny," approved April 1st, 1870.

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AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Grading of Stand alley, from East street to Howard street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Committee on Streets be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to invite and receive proposals for the Grading of Stand alley, as aforesaid, and to contract therefor with the lowest and best bidder or bidders at their discretion.

SEC. 2. That for defraying the cost and expenses of the same, there is hereby levied a special assessment, said assessment to be made and collected as provided by the Act of Assembly, entitled an "Act relative to Streets in the City of Allegheny," approved April 1st, 1870.

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AN ORDINANCE—Changing the name of South alley to Warner street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That South alley be known hereafter as Warner street.

SEC. 2. All ordinances conflicting or supplied by the foregoing, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law this 18th day of March, A. D. 1872.

JAMES McBRIER President of Select Council.
Attest: J. R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.
HUGH McNEILL, President pro tem. of Common Council.
Attest: R. DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. mh29

AN ORDINANCE—Increasing the Salary of Market Constable.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That the Salary of the Market Constable be and it is hereby fixed at Six Hundred ($600) dollars per annum.

SEC. 2. That so much of any ordinance or parts of ordinances as may conflict or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law, this the 18th day of March, A.D. 1872.

JAMES McBRIER, President of Select Council.
Attest: JOSEPH R. OXLEY, Clerk of Select Council.
HUGH McNEILL, President pro tem. of Common Council.
Attest: ROBERT DILWORTH, Clerk of Common Council. mh29

Notice to Shippers.

On and after MONDAY, April 1st the Freight Depot of the Allegheny Valley Railroad will be removed from 11th and Pike streets to the Depot near 28th street, between Smallman and Railroad streets. Approach from 28th and Smallman streets.
E. D. NETTLETON,
mh28-o2 Freight Agent.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R. CO., PITTSBURGH, March 28, 1872.

INTEREST COUPONS FALLING DUE April 1st, 1872, off Allegheny Valley Railroad (Bennett's Branch) Bonds will be paid at the office of the Company, corner of Eleventh and Pike streets, Pittsburgh, Pa., and at the Banking House of Townsend, Whelen & Co., No. 309 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.
mh29:o11 W. A. TOMLINSON, Treasurer.

LIME.—
100 bbls Cleveland White Lime;
100 bbls Fremont White Lime;
100 bbls Toledo White Lime;
200 bbls Eastern White Lime;
CEMENT—250 bbls Louisville Cement;
PLASTER—100 bbls French's selected Plaster;
100 bbls Smith & Harris' selected Plaster;
PRODUCE—50 bush. prime Clover Seed;
10 bbls prime Navy Beans;
50 bbls choice Onions;
20 bbls choice Dried Peaches;
10 bbls bright Dried Apples.
For sale by JNO. B. CANFIELD,
March 29th, 1872. 141 and 143 First avenue. mh38

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, March 29, 1872.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.—All persons owning property in the Fifteenth (15th) and Sixteenth (16th) wards are required to leave the deeds of their property at this office for the purpose of having them registered in accordance with section 4 of an Act of Assembly, entitled, "An act providing for the registry of lots in the city of Pittsburgh."

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of all owners of houses and lots, or tracts of ground, to furnish forthwith descriptions of their property to the Engineer to aid him in making up his book of plans, and whensoever such descriptions shall have been furnished, and the certificate of the Engineer or his assistant shall be received, no property so returned shall be subject to sale for taxes or other municipal claims thereafter to accrue as lien of record thereon, except as in the name of the owner returned; and after recovery of suit and service of the writ on him, as in case of a summons *scire facias* or other appropriate writ, should this be neglected or omitted, or complied with as promptly as may be deemed necessary to insure the early completion of the plans; then after one month's notice by public advertisement in the official papers of the city to the owners of real estate in said city not registered, and a written or printed notice shall have been left upon the property, should they fail to have such record made, then and in that case, they shall be subject to a fine of five dollars for each month of such neglect, dating from the termination of said advertisement, and in case the same be neglected for the space of six months, a lien for the accumulated fines and costs shall be filed and collected as municipal claims are now or may be hereafter by law collected, the said fines to be paid into the city treasury; the notices to parties failing to register property may be given so as to embrace the property of any particular ward or section, or any number of wards or the city at large, at the discretion of the said City Engineer.
WM. MARTIN,
mh30; Assistant City Engineer.

NEW SPRING GOODS.

We take great pleasure in informing the ladies of Pittsburgh and vicinity, that we have just opened a very large and well selected stock of Spring Goods. These Goods were selected with great care, and are of the very latest style. Our stock of

BLACK SILKS

Japanese Silks,

ALPACAS,

DOLLY VARDENS

IN CHOICE STYLES,

MOHAIRS

AT OLD PRICES.

Shawls and Scarfs,

LINENS, TOWELS,

Prints, Cassimeres,

And in fact a Complete Assortment of Housekeeping Goods and Dress Goods, new and fresh, are large and cannot fail to please the most fastidious.

MOORHOUSE & CARSTEN,

Cor. of Market St. and Fourth Ave.

☞**Remember, we have removed from 21 Fifth avenue to the large Dry Goods House, corner of Fourth avenue and Market street, where we will be pleased to see our friends.**

Special Attention

is called to the following threatening notice, published by the Babcock Fire Extinguisher Company:

"All parties are warned against buying or using fire extinguishers of any kind in which water impregnated with carbonic acid gas is used as the extinguishing element, except those manufactured by our company, on pain of immediate prosecution for infringement."

This idle threat, *of two years standing*, is only made to intimidate the public from purchasing the Gardner Extinguisher, which is *totally different* from the Babcock machine, and superior to it in every respect.

The claim set forth in the above extract, to the exclusive use of carbonic acid gas and water, is utterly false, and they dare not bring the matter before the courts. The

GARDNER EXTINGUISHER

Is fully covered by Letters-Patent, and this company will *guarantee the most ample protection to all purchasers.* It has been adopted by the Supervising Inspectors, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, the leading steamboat lines of the country, and by the fire departments of a number of our largest cities, and has saved MILLIONS OF DOLLARS' WORTH OF PROPERTY FROM THE FLAMES. Having four times the extinguishing power of other machines, it is naturally superseding the old-fashioned extinguishers, and undoubtedly stands without a rival.

Philadelphia Fire Extinguisher Company,
NO. 1306 CHESTNUT STREET.
J. S. Schoonmaker,
GENERAL AGENT.
P. O. Address—PITTSBURGH, PA.
Office—450 Rebecca street, Allegheny City, Pa. mh20:n7-MWF

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French Pattern Hats and Bonnets,
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On Thursday, March 28, 1872.
KITCHEN & BEGGS,
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FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 1872.

BONDS at Frankfort 96.

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 110¼.

THE FIRST FRUIT of McClure's success in getting a seat in the State Senate is to dead-lock that body on the Apportionment bill, he voting, as we predicted, with the Democrats. What does his supporter, the *Commercial*, think of him now; after this first exhibition? We shall be disappointed, and agreeably so, we may add, if he does not prove the most dangerous and disagreeable member of that body; and we predict that those journalists who espoused his cause, will see the day that they will hang their heads for their work in his behalf.

GOVERNOR CURTIN and family are still at Nice.

THE OHIO Republicans, in State convention, give forth the true sound, and endorse the able administration of President Grant, recommend his re-nomination and propose Ex-Governor Dennison for the Vice Presidency. Keep the ball rolling.

THE MEXICAN government appears to be everywhere successful over the insurgents. Juarez is proving himself a wise and firm ruler, and the people more than at any previous period in the history of the country, are giving evidence of a desire for peace and intelligent industry. The latest news chronicles the total rout of the insurgent forces under Diaz and Marias, and the collapse of the rebellion.

THE *Tribune*, evidently ashamed of its former pet hobby, the arms investigation, has nothing to say about its progress, or the nature of its developments. It has much to say, however, on "Senator Sumner's exhaustive and conclusive protest," or in other words, his refusal to testify to facts upon which he based his resolutions asking for an investigation, proving that he had no facts.

NEW YORK CITY is growing alarmed at the threatened water famine. The fall of rain and snow has been unprecedentedly light throughout the country, and we hear serious complaints of "never failing springs" now going dry. The *Tribune* publishes a map along with an article which points out the threatened danger. The water-sheds upon which Croton depends for its replenishment have been without rain for months, and Gotham may be without drinking water soon, unless Providence comes to its assistance.

ON TUESDAY next Connecticut will speak from the ballot-box, and from all indications the word so spoken will bring good cheer to the Republican host. The issues of the day are being fairly and thoroughly presented to the masses by some of the most prominent speakers on both sides. The interest and attendance at the public meetings bespeak a full vote on Tuesday next, and we shall now see what our Connecticut friends can do, when they do not have Tammany, in addition to their regular opponents, to fight. We think Jewell will have from 500 to 1,000 majority—against 100 last year.

CANDIDATES for the Gubernatorial chair are not at all scarce on the Republican side this year. We have already, Ketchum, Hartranft, Jordan, Kemble, Packer, White, Graham and Coleman, and perhaps others whose names have escaped us. On the Democratic side, Geo. W. Cass is the most prominent, and will doubtless be nominated. The "oil men, without regard to politics," have been advised to run General McCalmont as a third candidate. Altogether, the fall campaign is promising of considerable animation, and we are not displeased that Democracy is going to give us an opponent, who has been an active and avowed member of that ancient organization, but against whom, personally, not one word can, so far as we now know, be uttered. The oil men will hardly commit the blunder of playing into the hands of Democracy, by running a candidate on the one issue of protection to their interests. They will doubtless, upon consideration, conclude that their interests are quite secure in the hands of either of the opposing candidates.

MR. SUMNER's appearance before the Senate Investigation Committee, after his undignified protest against their authority to call him, and their right to question him, appears like a great humiliation, when it is remembered that his evidence was of the most flimsy and unsatisfactory nature. Not one word could he utter, whilst before the committee, bearing upon the subject matter for which he demanded, in the most imperious and solemn manner, the investigation. He stands to-day before the country, self-convicted of an attempt, without a scintilla of proof, to condemn and disgrace his government, through a charge of infamous conduct, and a violation of good faith toward a friendly nation. He has proven that his enmity and personal, bitter malignity directed against the Chief Magistrate of the country, have lead him to degrade himself by his conduct and associations, and in this he has lowered himself in the estimation of his countrymen to such a degree, that he can never rise again. We regret this as much as any one can, we deplore it, as it compels us to forever banish from the proud place it had for so many years held in our esteem, the name of Charles Sumner. Henceforth a demagogue, according to his own testimony.

BISMARCK has succeeded, after a long and bitter struggle, in making the schools of the German Empire free and independent of all religious bias and control. In this he was opposed by the adherents of the old system, and by the clergy of all denominations, and the victory won is considered a vast stride toward that perfect reform which he has inaugurated, and which has, so far, proved to be the cherished object of his heart. In the fierce struggle with the opponents of free schools, he was assailed with all the bitterness and vituperation which his enemies could possibly summon to their support, but he calmly bore it all, and carried off again the palm of victory. Germany, under the leadership of this brave and sterling patriot and statesman, is achieving the glory to which she is entitled, and building up a nationality and a system of which she may well be proud. The old and rotten systems of a dead age are giving way before the touch of progress, and the people are being lifted up to a higher plane, whilst the Empire is perpetuating a name which will live through all history. The German people may well be proud of the intelligence and thrift which everywhere prevail, and which will permanently establish the Empire in the foreground of the leading nations of Europe, from which all may pattern. Free schools, with religious toleration, are the best foundation upon which to build, and we hail the progress made in this direction.

FOREIGN OPINIONS.

The position assumed by our Government, with reference to the immediate settlement of the Alabama claims, and the position formerly taken on the rights of neutrals in time of war, are wholly in accord, not only with all our previous history, but are being sanctioned and approved by all the leading publicists of the world. The old dispute between England and America, which in part produced the war of 1812, that a neutral flag protects, under all circumstances, a neutral's merchandise, is in a fair way now to be settled by common consent of the leading powers. The right of search, claimed by England and denied by us, was fitly illustrated, and our position on the subject endorsed, in the Trent affair, where the two Confederate ministers, Mason and Slidell, were delivered up to the English Government, because their capture was illegal and contrary to the position held by us on the subject of the right of search. England, in that case, submitted to a forced humiliation not only, [illegible] tacitly acknowledged that the United [illegible]es Government held correct views, [illegible]lst their own claims to the right of [illegible]rch were as illegal as they were foolish. This whole subject is ably reviewed in connection with the Alabama claims, by M. Emile de Laveleye, the eminent Belgian statesman, who writes among other things as follows:

"Since the American Union enjoyed national existence she has always asserted the broadest and most equitable principles of international law. She maintained the rights of neutrals from the beginning, and asserted them at the cost of war in 1812. Scarcely had her independence been recognized than she sent three plenipotentiaries to Europe to propose to other nations that great principle—the abolition of war on private property at sea—that is, by the suppression of privateering. She caused the principle to be accepted that a neutral flag protects an enemy's merchandise, and that the merchandise of neutrals be respected even under the enemy's flag; and finally, at the Congress of Paris, she proposed the true modern principle—the absolute immunity of private property on sea as on land. The European statesmen did not comprehend the grandeur and justice of this idea; they rejected it. France and England are suffering already the results of this narrowness of view and want of foresight. If England had then accepted the proposals of the United States the Alabama claims would not have arisen; for privateering, being condemned by international law, would have been treated as an act of piracy. At the beginning of the war of 1870 Prussia declared that she would adhere to the American principle, and interdicted all captures at sea; but France believed herself able to maintain the ancient right, and her cruisers captured German vessels worth $1,200,000, for which she has to pay an indemnity of three or four times the amount."

It is a source of great pleasure to find the views and opinions entertained by the leading statesmen and Government officers of our country endorsed by such eminent persons. In all international disputes, we must depend largely upon the verdict of contemporaneous powers to carry our points and sustain our cause. In this latest dispute with England we have undoubted authority for believing that our course and our subsequent position are approved by the leading minds of the world, not only, but by the foreign leading Governments. This fact of itself convinces the mind that we are right in our present views as we were in 1776 and 1812, and that England now, as then, is wrong in her interpretation of international law and common equity. It is a good thing to be determined in the pursuit of an object, to exhibit energy and zeal and pluck; but it is a pleasant task to move forward toward the attainment of a desirable end, when we know that we have the approval of all independent and unbiased minds. America will win her suit with England in the end, as she has done in all previous contests, and will stand wholly vindicated before the world, proved manly and upright in all her demands.

HOW IS THIS, MR. IWAKURA!

Is this the Way the Japanese Reciprocate the Courtesy Shown Them by Foreign Powers?—The Persecutions of a Year Ago Repeated.

[*From the Overland China Mail.*]

In Japan the most barbarous persecutions of the Christians are being again carried on. The cruelties of 1870 are said to be now in process of repetition, the Prince of Sago being the instigator, and an official from the Mikado's court being the superintendent torturer. The Nagasaki *Gazette* devotes a long article to the subject, and gives so many statements of fact in course thereof, that we feel constrained to respond to his call upon the brethren of the press to assist in "exposing to the indignation of the civilized world the iniquitous persecutions which the poor native Christians are being daily subjected to in Nagasaki and to raise their remonstrance, as in one voice, against our Christian powers tolerating in the future such an inducement to the merciless government of Japan, as that which the absence from our treaties of any clause protecting Christian religion now presents." It is said that the number of intended victims is over two thousand and that they will be seized and carried off in small drafts, so as to be operated upon and improved off the face of the empire in as quiet and unobtrusive manner as possible. The performance of this latter good intention of saving the consciences of inactive foreign statesmen in Europe and America has been fortunately prevented by the *Gazette* article, and we gladly aid in perfecting the prevention of such an iniquity. It is sad to have to record, however, that one batch of sixty-seven heads of families had already been disposed of, and in this land of the rising sun, which is speedily being enlightened and is advancing rapidly towards material civilization, the second lot was to have been leisurely murdered during the first week in this year. From the privacy with which this effect of advanced civilization was being carried out, the miserable victims were being playfully twitted in this wise: "This time your friends, the foreigners, shall know nothing of your torturings and sufferings." *Iwakura* (the official at the head of the Western embassy) *is one of the greatest supporters of this enormity.* Side by side, material progress is making rapid strides; the railway is nearly completed, the telegraph cable is now in working order; the Government has officially notified that rice may be sold for exportation on certain conditions, and permission has been given native women going abroad.

Ice in the Susquehanna, Unprecedented Blockade.

The Emporium (Pa.) *Independent* says that within the memory of the oldest inhabitant never has there been such a heavy body on ice in the Driftwood and its tributaries as at present. The water in the streams and pools is all frozen solid, and there is not enough flowing down stream to run a bob-sled—all the mills being idle, waiting for a thaw. The snow in the valley of the Driftwood is nearly off—but back on the mountains and towards the head of the streams it is still two feet in depth. Some of our lumbermen, taking advantage of the heavy ice on the Driftwood have, for a week or more past, been hauling timber on its smooth surface, with some dozen or more teams, from the mouth of North Creek to Cross & Bro's dam, a distance of about five miles—the intervening dams being no obstacles to them—they driving right over them.

The Lock Haven *Democrat* contains the following: The boom company have men engaged in weakening the ice preparatory to the move that must take place ere long. They are cutting the ice with two ice plows—one six inch and one fifteen inch plow—along the line of the boom sticks and around the piers, and lines will also be cut across the river. The ice varies in thickness from twelve to twenty inches. The managers of the boom do not fear any serious results from the moving of the ice, and the precautions they are taking in weakening the ice and breaking the strain on the boom, will very much lessen the danger of having the boom broken and the many logs now in it carried away. The theory of Mr. Nehemiah Shaw, one of the most experienced lumbermen, in reference to the thick ice up the river is, that before that moves the ice below will be rotted away and an open way left for the ice above, and that it will be very much thinned before it does move. He does not seem to fear any serious results to the Lock Haven boom.

Coming Home.

About two weeks ago the President, in conversation, informed a Pennsylvania Senator that the Hon. Andrew G. Curtin, United States Minister to Russia, had asked and obtained permission to return home on a leave of absence. The President further stated that he thought Governor Curtin would resign his commission and stay at home. The friends of the Governor say that he will be a candidate for the Vice Presidency, and that he proposes to take an active part in the coming Presidential campaign. He will, no doubt, act with the Republicans in Pennsylvania who favor reform and an honest administration of municipal and State government. As far as is known the relations between Governor Curtin and the President are entirely cordial, and it may be safely assumed that his contemplated resignation as United States Minister was brought about wholly through a desire on his part to return home. The mission to Russia has been raised to one of the first-class in point of pay as well as dignity, and there will no doubt be numerous applications for it. It is too soon, however, to speculate upon Governor Curtin's successor.

PERSONAL.

ISELLY, an Italian photographer, has succeeded in taking submarine views.

SOME of the books that formed the library of our original Quaker William Penn, were sold a few days since at auction in London.

THE Rev. Peter Cartwright still lives and in delirium manifests the old fire and habit—preaching and praying in the highest tone of his voice.

LIEUTENANT Frederick Grant is to have a right jolly reception from the students of the University of Berlin in June. They will give him a banquet and a lager.

HON. JOHN BIGELOW is living finely and hospitably in Berlin, giving dinners and other entertainments, and deporting himself generally as becometh a good Bigelow.

IT HAS never been officially settled who killed Tecumseh, but General Sanderson, who died recently at Lancaster, Ohio, testified that the Kentucky troops skinned him.

MISS KELLOGG is said to have a larger repertoire than any living prima-donna. She is letter and note perfect in twenty-five operas, in most of which she has sung with success.

GOOD MISTER AND MISTRESS ROBINSON, of New Haven, recently celebrated their golden wedding, at which were present the bride-maids and groomsmen who officiated at the wedding fifty years ago.

THE Princess Strozzi, at a fancy ball in Florence, wore a dress so heavy and gold damask, that as soon as her guests had all arrived, she was compelled to adopt a lighter costume in order easily to get about.

GENERAL O. O. HOWARD has applied to be placed on the retired list. He has participated in twenty-three battles, and lost his right arm, and deserves to be retired with the full instead of the half pay of his rank.

IT is to the personal credit and great pecuniary advantage of Miss Anna C. Brackett that she is paid the highest salary—$2,500—paid to any lady teacher in the United States. She is at the St. Louis Normal School.

"CALL me pet names" if a phrase as endearingly applied in Congress as in the domestic circle. In the House of Representatives, among the reporters, the Hon. James Brooks, of this city, is affectionately alluded to as "Old Rivulets."

THE Rev. Robert Everett, D. D., of Steuben, New York, has been presented with $1100 by his Welsh friends throughout the country. He is now in his eighty-first year, and for more than thirty years has edited the *Cenhadwr* (*Messenger.*)

"MRS. PARTINGTON," with that astuteness that has always characterized her, is anxious to know what all this land-grant business means. She says that in her neighborhood the women are as one man—they want to land Grant in the White House again.

MR. WILBUR F. STORY, of the Chicago *Times*, is fortunate in being able to say that his paper has made more money in three months since the fire than in any one year previous. He expects to cover his losses in two years, and have a better building than he lost.

IT MAY be consolatory to our people to know that the King of Siam, who recently visited the Viceroy of India, is a very small, placid-looking man, who dresses in European fashion, with knee-breeches and stockings, and lives like a European in all respects.

J. A. SUTTER, the California pioneer and gold discoverer, is now living in Litz, Lancaster county, poor and crippled with rheumatism. He is sixty-nine years old, and without means of support. The California Legislature has just given him a pension of $250 a month for five years.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL BARLOW—the youngest man who has ever been elected to the position in New York—was one of two "first scholars" in his class at Cambridge, who came out so nearly alike that no discrimination was made in their rank, but first two parts were assigned of equal rank and honor.

THE Duke d'Aumale, who fondly hopes to be King of France, but may not, exacts at his receptions the strictest monarchical etiquette. Recently one of the invited, having comfortably seated himself, the Duke went up to him smilingly and asked for the latest medical bulletin about the illness that prevented his guest from standing.

THE Brazilian Emperor is in high feather with the authors and artists of Paris, going about among them just like "any other man with a hat on," and even gone so far as to run over to Nahant, in Berry, to pay his respects to George Sand. The potentate writes fairly himself, hence the fondness for people given to that sort of thing.

WILLIAM STETSON is the name of a gentleman who died a few days since in Rochester, Massachusetts, at the age of eighty years and eight months. He had been married sixty years, and during the whole of that period had never been separated from his wife more than three days at one time, and had never missed eating the Thanksgiving supper with her.

IT is at last positively settled that Pauline Lucca (Baroness Von Rade) the famous prima-donna, comes to this country next autumn, under the management of the Mr. Henry C. Jarrett (Nilsson's confidential agent) to appear in opera during the season of 1872-73. Mr. Jarrett will organize an entirely new company to support the Lucca, with Max Maretzek at the front.

BARON LIEBIG, at Munich, is quite easy of access to Americans, and loves to talk of America, where his scientific theories have found such wide and successful application. In manner he is quite hearty, and in person well preserved, for although seventy, he does not look over fifty-five. He admires our public schools, saying that "no ignorant people can support a republic."

SIR ROUNDELL PALMER, one of the great lawyers of England, is a very religious man and the compiler of a hymn-book, and he is a delightful orator. He is tall and thin, with just a slight stoop, his face is feminine in its refinement and delicacy, his voice is exceedingly sweet, his accents singularly pure, his manner persuasive, and his arguments show that the stores of his intellect are great.

IN THE Senate of the United States there are not many members conspicuous for classical attainments. The two who are perhaps most conspicuous in that respect are Senators Sumner and Thurman. In the House the three who are said to be best up in the Greek particles, and that sort of thing, are General Garfield, S. S. Cox, and Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts. General G. is said to be as much at home in Horace as was the late Henry Winter Havis.

THE peculiarly western man, Joaquin Miller, says of Queen Victoria: "In Whitehall I first saw the Queen of England—a sad and silent woman, whose virtues, charities and simplicity have challenged the admiration of the world; a woman who has turned from the allurements of the courts to educate her own children; a woman always clad in uncompromising black; who never wears hoops, nor water-falls, nor false hair. She deserves a crown for this, if nothing more."

A CURIOUS will has just been presented for probate in England. Sir Thomas Phillips, a few days before his decease, bequeathed Thirlestane House, together with the wonderful library which literally fills that large mansion, to his youngest daughter, Mrs. Fenwick, for life, with remainders to her children. The bequest is encumbered with a condition of unprecedented singularity: Sir Thomas strictly enjoined that neither his eldest daughter nor her husband, nor any Roman Catholic ever enter the house.

IN the House of Representatives the two members who stand alphabetically at the head of the roll, and lead off when the ayes and noes are called, are Ames, of Massachusetts, and Archer, of Maryland. A few days since, when the name of Ames was called on the St. Croix Railroad bill, Archer, in his haste to vote "no," voted on Ames's name; whereupon Congressman Cox exclaimed:

"Insatiate Archer! will not *one* suffice?"

The House laughed, and though one would do.

M. GUIZOT, now in his eighty-fifth year, and in good health, has just received another high distinction. The prize of 20,000 francs, given every two years by the French Academy to the author of the best literary works, has been awarded to him for his "History of France" and his "Memoirs." He has devoted this sum to the foundation of another prize of 3,000 francs to be given every three years for the best work on the history of French literature, or on the life and writings of one of the great authors of France. He still gets 1,500 francs ($300) for any article he is willing to write for the *Revue des Deux Mondes.*

THE ex-Emperor of the French goes frequently to London from Chiselhurst quite unnoticed, generally lunching at the Army and Navy Club, of which he is a member. The Prince Imperial is a close student; up at six in the morning, and after breakfast sets himself to study with his young friend CONNEAU until ten. Then, accompanied by his tutor, he goes up to the University College, in London, where he regularly follows a course of instruction every day till three o'clock. Returning at four, he rides or walks with his mother. After dinner, at ten o'clock, he goes to his little bed like a good boy, and has an honest, square sleep.

MRS. LAURA CURTIS BULLARD, who has been on a visit to Jean Ingelow at her London home, says she is a buxom, fine looking woman, somewhere near her forties, with an abundance of soft brown hair, which she winds in a graceful fashion of her own about her well-shaped head. She has bright, dark eyes, and a lovely, changing color, which comes and goes on her cheeks at the slightest provocation. She is shy, delicate, and reserved, and has a true English aversion to being looked at, and a horror of being written about. She believes the English government to be the best on earth; and yet she is regarded as a sensible woman.

THE young Russsian count who set the people of Amherst, Massachusetts, by the ears last year by his romantic attempt to cart off and marry Miss Lester, the rich and beautiful niece of Professor Tyler, has come back again, true as steel to his lady-love, and she equally true to him. He was treated in a cold-shoulder sort of a way by the professor, who told him to go right away, and not come back again under a year, nor then, unless with papers adorned with tape, sealing-wax, etc., testifying to his being an honest count. He has returned with the stationary, and now desires that Miss Lester shall change "her local habitation and her name."

HENRY WARD BEECHER, in a recent lecture on Wall street, delivered in Boston, said: "I have buried four generations of men from Wall street in twenty-five years. Wall street is a dunghill of Mushrooms. There is a vast growth of men in every single year, and every year they are trampled down in hosts. I know but one or two men in that time who have been able to make permanent gains, and hold their gains. And they didn't do it by speculation; they added other means of accumulation, which were the foundation of their stability; and I believe that all the men there are trying to be rich in uncanny ways, and trying to be rich without paying for what they get."

ALTHOUGH Chief Justice Chase occasionally appears upon the bench of the Supreme Court, the observer can not fail to be impressed with the belief that he is a confirmed invalid. His eye seems to have lost some of its lustre, and his voice lacks the strong, sonorous ring that marked it of old. The drudgery and details of his office are said to have always been irksome to him—the most of any he has been called upon to perform during his public life. Judge Chase's first public employment was as school examiner in Cincinnati in 1839. In 1840 he was a city councilman, and, having survived that, soon entered upon national politics, and has since been almost constantly in public service.

THE ex-Emperor Napoleon has sold to the Western Union Telegraph Company the property on the corner of Broadway and Dey streets, New York, known as the old Franklin House, for $740,000. A few years since it was bought for him by Dr. Evans for $480,000. It may be remembered that soon after the ex-Emperor's flight from Paris and arrival in England, we stated that he had ample means on which to live in luxury. This statement was persistently denied by his adherents, who asserted that the fortune of the ex-Empress was all upon which the couple had to subsist. The truth is, he is the actual owner of a large amount of property in New York, besides holding several millions of dollars in the public funds and stocks of other countries.

PRINCE FREDERICK CHARLES of Prussia, now travelling in Egypt and Nubia, will, after his return, make a visit to the United States. The Emperor has had several caucuses with Mr. Bancroft (one of his prime personal friends) on the subject, and journey has been definitively agreed upon. The Prince is now in the full flush of manhood, being forty-four, and has from boyhood been the army. He is one of the ablest of Germany's generals. On taking command of the First Division of the Prussian army against Austria in 1866, and in ordering the attack on forces of the enemy, he said to his men, "May your hearts beat toward God and your fists on the enemy." His services in the campaign against France were conspicuously brilliant, brave and successful. It may interest the young lady readers of the GAZETTE to know that he is a bachelor.

THE impending Connecticut election, in which so many present and prospective statesmen are about to precipitate themselves, will probably have no candidate for legislative fame like Sir George Cornwall Lewis, eminent alike in the literature and politics of Great Britain. One of the odd subjects with which he occupied his leisure was an examination into the truth of reported cases of longevity, which, according to his custom, he doubted or disbelieved. This subject was uppermost in his mind while pursuing his canvass of Herefordshire in 1852. On applying to a voter one day for his support he was met by a decided refusal. "I am sorry," was the candidate's reply, "that you can't give me your vote: but perhaps you can tell me whether any body in your parish has died at an extraordinary age?"

LORD NORTHBROOK, who succeeds the late Earl Mayo as Governor-General of India, is a member of the family of BARINGS, and is in the very prime of life, being forty-six years old. Early in life, through family influence, he became secretary to SIR GEORGE GREY, then one of the ministry. He subsequently held similar appointments under other ministers, being successively at the Home Department, the Board of Trade, the India-Office, and the Admiralty. In 1857, when only thirty years of age, he became Lord of the Admiralty. In 1864 he entered the War Department as Under-Secretary. Soon after he was appointed Under-Secretary for India, and for more than three years took a prominent part in the management of England's vast dependency. From this Department he passed to the Home Deparment, remaining there from 1864 to 1866, when he became Secretary of the Admiralty. Afterward he was made Under-Secretary for War. Lord Northbrook is popular with the liberal party, and his appointment will probably receive the approval of the English people.

JUDGE DAVID DAVIS, of the Supreme Court, the candidate of the Labor party—"the poor man's party," as some call it—for the Presidency, is the wealthiest man that has ever been put in nomination, being worth not less than three millions of dollars. He never did any manual labor, hence, probably, his nomination; nor is he the kind of man to squander one or two millions to win the Executive Mansion. He went early in life to Illinois, and became one of that remarkable body of young men who congregated in and about Springfield, consisting of Abraham Lincoln, Edward I. Baker (of whom it is told that when a boy of twelve or so he went home crying one day, and told his mother that the other boys taunted him because he could never be President, he being of English birth), Dick Yates, the Ingersolls, and others. Davis and Lincoln were warm friends, and soon became law partners. The larger portion of Judge Davis' fortune is said to be the result of successful money-lending and shrewd land speculation. In Chicago he has large possessions.

A WELL-INFORMED literary man writes from Berlin to the Cincinnati *Volksblatt* that the rejoicings of our people at the appointment of Baron d'Offenberg as successor to CATACAZY are premature. He, morever, expresses the belief that Offenberg will soon reveal himself to be a new and improved edition of CATACAZY: GORTSCHAKOFF of Hohenzollern as Hospodar of Roumania. It was by no means agreeable to the cabinet of St. Petersburg to see, on the banks of the Routh, the rise of a homogenous and almost entirely independent state, with a population of no less than five millions and a half. When all the efforts of the Russian chancellor to frustrate this arrangement proved fruitless, he sent Baron d'Offenberg, one of his most adroit agents, to Bucharest. Baron d'Offenberg had very brief and clear instructions: to keep up in every possible way an agitation against the new state, not to allow in it the rise of any new points for the crystalization of durable institutions, and to bring about, at any cost, a state of affairs that would prove to Europe that the new state was not vital. Offenberg acquitted himself of his arduous task with extraordinary skill. It may be difficult for a man of such talent as a botherer to remain idle in Washington. CATACAZY could not, and so waded out of the country.

WEST VIRGINIA.

A LAD named Vocke, of Wheeling, was killed on Wednesday by falling under the wheels of a wagon, the horse which he was driving having run away.

THE Parkersburg *Times* says that the supervisors of Wood county have compromised the claim of that county against the B. & O. Railroad for $10,000.

MRS. SARAH TOMBES, wife of Rev. J. B. Tombes, D. D., of the Baptist *Record*, died suddenly, at Charleston, last week. She was an estimable lady, and model Christian.

NOW, this is the way journalists pass the compliments of the season in West Virginia to each other. It is the Wheeling *Intelligencer* that says: "The dirty blackguard and liar of the Charleston *Courier* is out again this week with his paint pot."

WM. J. YATES and Orange Beben—two boys—convicted of burglary, at the September (1871) term of the Circuit Court of Taylor county, and sentenced to be conned two years in the penitentiary, were discharged from that institution, Governor Jacob having pardoned them.

MASON is one of the greatest manufacturing counties of the State. There are thirteen Salt Furnaces, nearly all of which are in successful operation. The average annual yield of these furnaces is about 300,000 bushels, making an aggregate of 3,900,000 bushels of salt, which has gained a most enviable reputation in the market.

A FRIEND who has just got back from a visit to the "dark hills of Monroe," says the Wheeling *Intelligencer*, relates as an actual occurrence that while he was at the county seat a man, his wife and two daughters were arrested and lodged in jail for feeding a cow on shoepegs. It was not stinginess, however, that prompted this piece of cruelty, but malice. The cow was not their own, but a neighbor's and not being used to such indigestible food, the animal died. Owing to some informality in the proceedings, the proprietors of the shoe-peg feed were released.

A SAD accident occurred last Friday at the cotton factory in Wellsburg. A boy aged fourteen, named Frank Blackensop, son of a widow, while attempting to put a belt on a drum, was caught by the shaft, whirling around with fearful rapidity. His cries attracted the attention of the engineer, who immediately stopped the engine. He was found to be in a terrible condition, one arm being entirely torn from his body, both legs broken, and his skull fractured. The young man lingered in fearful agony until Saturday morning, when death relieved him of his suffering.

A SHOCKING casualty occurred at Bowlesburg, on Wednesday. Locomotive No. 143 of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, just after leaving the depot, and when directly in front of the Hon. C. M. Bishop's house, exploded her boiler, killing the engineer, Trueman Frazier, and John Miller, the fireman. The engineer was found some four or five hundred feet from the scene of the explosion, and it is possibly asserted that he was blown three hundred feet high. Mr. Frazier leaves a wife and one child. Mr. Miller leaves a wife. Both of the unfortunate men reside at Newburg.

ON Saturday evening last a man named Hewes, at Littleton, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, committed suicide by throwing himself upon the railroad track in front of a passing train of cars. It is stated that Hewes had been drinking to excess, and was laboring under insanity produced by intoxicating liquors. He had made several attempts to destroy himself, gettiig upon the railroad track as cars were approaching, but each time was forcibly taken off the track by persons present at the depot when the attempt at destruction was made. On Saturday evening it seems that the man was so determined on being killed that when he heard a train coming, he ran out and threw himself across the track, and by entwining his arms around the rails between the ballasting and cross-ties, successfully resisted the efforts of two men who tried to pull him off the track, they being unable to make the man release his hold before the engine came crashing over the spot. The body of the unfortunate man was cut in two, and the victim who so persistently sought death found it upon the instant. It is said the man was brought to his untimely end through the infidelity of his wife, and to drown his trouble took to drink, and finally put an end to them, in this world, in the horrible manner described.

KIND WORDS.

THE Pittsburgh GAZETTE is one of our best daily exchanges, its columns being replete with interesting telegraphic and local news.—*Carlisle Herald.*

THE Pittsburgh GAZETTE is a first-class paper, and deserves the success it receives.—*Lancaster Inquirer.*

THAT substantial and ably conducted journal, the GAZETTE, is one of the institutions of Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania, always battling for the right, and denouncing wrong, and it affords us pleasure to chronicle the fact that it presents a more substantial appearance now than ever before, all owing to the ability with which it is conducted and its appreciation by the people.—*Armstrong Republican.*

A STUDENT in the Edinburgh University, who was fined a guinea for disturbing his class last week, paid the greater part of it in half-pence, about a quarter of an hour being occupied in counting over the amount. This singular mode of "serving out" the professor who inflicted the fine was carried out amidst the laughter of the class, by whom the amount had been subscribed.

THE young woman who accused Rev. Dr. Carter, of New York, of seducing her, has confessed that the whole thing was planned by herself and her paramour, in order to extort blackmail. The vigorous action of her intended victim has resulted in his complete vindication. The masculine conspirator has fled to that convenient criminal retreat, New Jersey, and is concealed. To meet out full punishment of this dastardly and devilish plot, he should be brought to light, arrested, and prosecuted, as well as the no more guilty woman. His crime is equal to hers.

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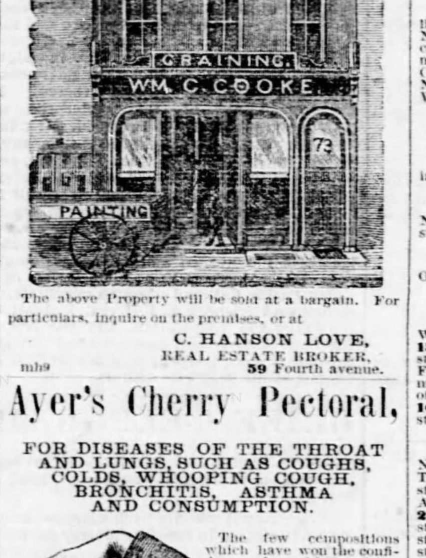

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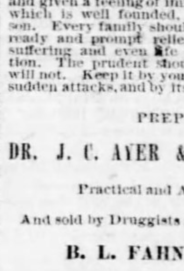

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SECOND WARD—TAVERN.

George Warrener, No. 195 Second avenue.

THIRD WARD—TAVERNS.

Frederick Bauer, No. 177 Grant street; John Wilhelm, No. 17 Diamond street; John Eichley, N. Diamond Square; A. B. Bihlman, E. H., No. 49 and 51.

FOURTH WARD—TAVERNS.

J. N. Anderson, St. Clair Hotel; Wm. Simpson, No. 236 Penn avenue; Wm. Pollitt, E. H., No. 29 Sixth street; John McCullough, O. G., No. 145 Liberty street.

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Joseph Sunts, No. 59 Fifth avenue extension; Wm. Koch, No. 64 Seventh avenue; Joseph Powers, No. 33 Wylie street; James Stafford, No. — Washington street, corner Tunnel and Webster streets; Manus McLaughlin.

SIXTH WARD—TAVERNS.

F. Kaisser, O. G., No. 194 Fifth avenue; Wm. Kennedy, O. G., No. 162 Fifth avenue; John McFadden, E. H., No. 321 Second avenue; George Berger, E. H., No. 254 Pennsylvania avenue.

SEVENTH WARD—TAVERNS.

Wm. Wolf, O. G., No. 81 Fifth avenue; Patrick McLaughlin, No. 121 Webster avenue.

EIGHTH WARD—TAVERNS.

Wm. Moore, No. 196 Webster avenue; Sam P. Moore, O. G., No. 254 Webster avenue.

NINTH WARD—TAVERNS.

P. F. Drew, No. 388 Penn avenue; Thomas Dugan, No. 551 Penn avenue; Hannah McGee, E. H., No. 481 Liberty street.

TENTH WARD—TAVERNS.

Adam Raab, No. 586 Penn street; Andrew Egan, E. H., No. 618 Penn street.

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F. H. Siedle, No. 359 Fifth avenue; Samuel Schimp, O. G., No. 299 Fifth avenue.

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Dennis Maher, No. — Butler street; Lucas Zunmer, No. 1251 Penn avenue.

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Cooper & Burdett, No. — Penn avenue; George Roberts, corner Forty-ninth and Railroad streets.

SEVENTEENTH WARD—TAVERNS.

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Phillip O'Niell, No. — Butler street.

NINETEENTH WARD—TAVERNS.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, March 28, 1872.

Robinson Bros., No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following comparative quotations of bonds and stocks, from their latest advices by wire:

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Bonds—1871	115¼	115¾
5-20—1862	111¾	112¼
" 1864	111¼	112¾
" 1865	112⅝	112¾
" 1865 new	111	111¼
" 1867	112½	112¾
" 1868	112¼	112½
10-40s	108¾	108¼
Currency 6's	115¼	115¾
Gold	110⅛	110⅛
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	95¾	97⅞
Do Scrip	91	92⅝
Erie	60	58
Reading	114	114⅝
Lake Shore	94¼	95⅝
Fort Wayne	97	97
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	92¼	92¼
Rock Island	116⅛	116⅝
Chicago & N. W.	82⅜	82⅝
Do. Preferred	94	94½
St. Paul, Common	63	63¼
Do. Preferred	81½	81¼
Wabash	78	78
Union Pacific	38¾	38⅛
Ohio & Mississippi	50¼	50⅝
Pacific Mail	63⅝	63¼
West. Union Telegraph	73½	73½
Adams Express	97½	97½
American Express	72½	73¼
U. S. Express	74⅝	73¼
Wells, Fargo	78	78

—Messrs. Gilbough, Bond & Co., bankers and brokers and members of the Philadelphia Stock Exchange, furnish the following quotations of the prices to-day of the most active stocks:

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Penna. Central	60¼	60¾
Penna. Allotments	58	58¼
Reading R. R.	57½	57
Camden & Amboy	125	125¼
Lehigh Navigation	44	43¼
Oil Creek & Alleg'y R. R.	39	38
Central Transportation	46⅝	46¼
Empire Transportation	55	55
Union Transportation	80	80
Pittsburgh City 5's	73½	73½
A. V. R. R. 7-30's	93	93
Lehigh Valley R. R.	59½	59
Philadelphia & Erie	28½	28½
Schuylkill Navigation	16¼	16½

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	110⅛	U. S. 10-40s	107⅞
U. S. 6s. 1881	114⅝	5-20 Jan. & Jy '65	
U. S. 5-20s, '62	112	5-20 Jan. & Jy '67	112⅞
U. S. 5-20s, '64	112	5-20 Jan. & Jy '68	112⅞
U. S. 5-20s, '65	112⅝	U. P. R. R.	

—The passage of the bill in the House of Congress to repeal the existing duties on tea and coffee, it is now very manifest, will pass the Senate, and become a law during the present session, and that it will be about all that will be done touching the tariff by the present Congress. Senator Sherman has signified his determination to drop his own Senate bill and go for the repeal bill of the House. He said, "I consider the repeal of the duties on tea and coffee as settled, and the business men of this country might as well understand it and prepare their business for it. I, for one, do not intend to resist it, and do not seek to reverse it. I take it that such a decision deliberately made by the Senate is final, and I shall not contest it." If this conclusion is correct, the Senator is right in his notion that the fact should at once be known. Some importers of tea and coffee have been not a little disturbed at the interpretation which the Custom House authorities have put on the new bill. They have announced that they shall not recognize, under it, the free entry of goods which are in bond when it takes effect, but only such as are imported after that date. The bill as it reads is a little obscure, but a liberal interpretation of it would apply it to all goods thereafter to be admitted to complete entry, as well as those thereafter imported. The practice under the law when it passes will doubtless apply to all goods in bond as well as to those thereafter landed. The law would be more equitable in force if the bill were so amended as to be made applicable to all stores of tea and coffee upon which the duty has not been collected. Any other course would be an act of great injustice to every merchant who is holding any stock of these goods subject to a claim for duty. The policy of this repealing law we do not now and here propose to discuss, and will simply remark that we believe that the country would greatly prefer that the proposed reduction of $50,000,000 in the annual revenues should be taken wholly or mainly from the internal revenue tax, the collection of which is held so odious. The placing of tea and coffee on the free list will reduce the revenue from customs about twenty millions of dollars—say nine millions from tea and eleven millions from coffee.

NEW YORK, March 28, 1872.

The gold market closed dull at 110⅛. During the afternoon the Gold Room got up a Spanish war but the thing would not work, and gold refused to respond. Loans were from 2 to 4 per cent. for carrying. Clearings about $49,000,000. Governments strong and higher on purchases by German bankers. The Government sold one million at from 109.33 to 109.60. On the Stock Exchange to-day there was an entire absence of excitement in Erie. There was a further decline of prices, fluctuating between 57@59, closing 58⅜. Yesterday Daniel Drew is said to have sold 50,000 shares of Erie at 55, seller twelve months, and that to-day he has been offered $200,000 for the contract, which he refused. The principal features to-day were Lake Shore and New York Central, which advanced on a report that they are to be called on the London Stock Exchange. Pacific Mail, Ohios and Western Union have been active; Union pacific dull; Boston, Hartford and Erie sold as high as 9¼; Hannibal and St. Joe advanced to 47 for common and 67 for preferred; Quicksilver closed at 41¾. The market closed strong. Money stringent, and loaned as high as ⅛, and closed at 7 gold to 1-16. Southern securities dull; lower in South Carolina.

Sterling exchange 109¼.

GOVERNMENTS.—Coupons, 1881, 115¾; 5-20's '62, 112¼; do '64, 112¼; do '65, 112¾; do new do 111¼; do '67, 112¾; do '68, 112¾, 10-40's 108¼; currency 6's 115¼.

STATE BONDS.—Mississippi 95¾; Tennessee, old, 67; do new, 67; Virginia, new, 55; do old, 55; North Carolina, old, 37; do new, 22.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Western Union Telegraph 73¼; Quicksilver 41½; Adams Express 97¾; Wells, Fargo & Co. do 77¼; American Merchants Union do 73⅞; United States do 73¾; Pacific Mail 63⅝; New York Central 98⅝; Scrip 92⅝; Erie 58⅜; do preferred 78; Harlem 112; do preferred 125; Reading 115; Michigan Central 115½; Cleveland & Pittsburgh 92¼; Northwestern 82⅝; do preferred 94¼; Rock Island 116⅛; New Jersey Central 112⅝; St. Paul 62⅞; do preferred 81⅝; Wabash 77⅝; do preferred 87; Fort Wayne 97; Terre Haute 24; do preferred 64; Chicago & Alton 116; do preferred 120; Ohio & Mississippi 50⅛; C. C. & C. 88⅛; Burlington & Quincy 132; Lake Shore 95⅝; Panama 25; Illinois Central 132; Union Pacific 38¾; Central Pacific bonds 101⅛; Union 91⅛; Delaware & Lackawanna 111⅛.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, March 28.—Flour dull and nominal. Wheat steady: No. 1 $1.29; No. 2 $1.21. Oats quiet and unchanged: No. 2 32c. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed 38¾c. Rye firm; No. 1 68c. Barley firm; No. 2 fall 58.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, March 28, 1872.

APPLE BUTTER—May be quoted at 55@65 for common to medium and 70@75 for prime to choice.

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BEANS—The stock in this market is almost exhausted, and prices are firm at the advance; $2,50@3,00 ₩ bushel, according to quality.

BROOM CORN—Continues as dull as ever and prices are still reported nominally at 5@9 cts. ₩ ℔. according to quality.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Is quoted steady at 4½ cts ₩ ℔, and $8,50 ₩ bbl.

CRANBERRIES—Sales at from $12 to $16 ₩ bbl. according to quality.

CONCENTRATED LYE—$5,25 ₩ case.

CARBON OIL—The jobbing trade is very light but this is usually the case at this season of the year. We continue to quote at 20 cts. by the car load and 2@3 cts. for small lots.

CHEESE—Is quiet and unchanged; 19@20 for Goshen and 17@18 for Factory. The Utica (New York) *Herald*, published in the New York cheese district, says: "The regular market report quotes cheese at 20c. But this has all along been an exceptional figure, seldom realized. Besides, during the week, the market has sensibly weakened, and 19½c. is really the extreme figure at the close. Already, a strong effort is being made to pull down prices. Holders are, of course firm, but it is doubtful if they can unload at present prices. The high figures check consumption, which is equivalent in effect to an increase of stock. The cheese factories are beginning to open all through the dairy region, and it is doubtful if the old cheese will all get out of the way before new makes its appearance. The old would have all disappeared, probably, had prices remained at about 16c. But all above this is a serious check on consumption, 18@20c. confining it to the wealthy few who are always but moderate consumers."

CANNED GOODS—Peaches (3 ℔. cans) quoted at from $6 to $7 ₩ case, according to quality and brand; Tomatoes, $4,50@5; Corn, $5, $6 and $7. Trade fair and improving.

COUNTRY LARD—Is in fair demand and may be quoted at 8@9 cts. ₩ ℔.

DRIED FRUIT—Continues quiet and unchanged: sales in a jobbing way, at 10@10½ for halves; 8@8½ for mixed and 7@7½ quarters. Apples in steady demand with regular sales at 7@8 for common to medium and 8¼@9 for prime to choice.

EGGS—Continue a little weak though there is a fair demand and prices are not quotably lower 23@24. As a general thing dealers are anxious to realize.

FLOUR—Is steady with a fair local trade while prices remain unchanged; fair to good spring wheat $7.40@7.60; choice, $7,75@7,85; fair to good red winter wheat, $7,50@7,75; choice to fancy, $8@8,25. Rye Flour, $5,50. The Chicago *Tribune* of Wednesday says: The continued apathy in our flour market is exciting surprise, but it is merely a result of the high price of wheat, as compared with other grain. Eastern consumers eat largely of corn or rye flour, either knowing it to be so, or bought for wheat flour from men who are skilful in mixing. Some of those who have shipped most largely from this city in years past have done nothing this winter; they claim that they cannot compete with eastern millers, the difference against them being as much as $1,50 ₩ bbl.

GRAIN—There is rather more inquiry for Wheat and prices are a shade better; we are reported sales of several cars of red at $1,63@1,65, and white may be quoted at $1,67@1,70. Oats continue quiet and unchanged; 48@49—some dealers refuse to sell white below 50. While trade at present is dull, holders are impressed with the belief that no further decline is possible and that an early advance is not improbable; this being the case, the offerings are not large. The stock of Corn is somewhat reduced, but prices, as yet, are not quotably higher; 58@60 for mixed to prime yellow. Rye is steady, with buyers at $1 for all that offers. Barley continues very quiet, and prices are unchanged; 75@80 for spring, and 80@85 for fall.

GROCERIES—Trade in our market is moderately active, and it is hoped, once navigation is fairly resumed, that it will improve considerably. As it is, however, all of the leading houses seem to be doing a fair business, but, as already intimated, there is room for improvement.

COFFEE.—Rio—Choice, 25; Prime, 24; Good, 23½; Fair, 23. Java, 28. Roasted, pure, 27; lower grades, 25@26.

RAW SUGARS.—Choice New Orleans, 11@11¼; Prime, 10⅜; Good, 10; Fair, 9¾. Choice Porto Rico, 10⅜; Prime, 10¼. Demerara—Choice, 11¾; Good, 11¼.

REFINED SUGARS.—Standard Hards, 13¾; do A., 12¾; do B., 12¾; do Ex. C., 12; do C., 11¾; do C. Yellow, 11⅞; Chesapeake do Ex. C., 11¾.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES.—Choice, 70; Prime, 68; Good, 65; Fair, 60.

SYRUPS.—Fancy White Drips, 75; White Honey, 65; Havemeyer & Elder's, 65@67; other grades, from 40@60.

RICE.—Carolina—Choice, 9¾; Prime, 9¼; Good, 9. Rangoon, 8@8¼. Patna, 8½@8.

SPICES.—Grain Pepper, 22; do Pimento, 16; Cassia, 50; Cloves, 20; Nutmegs, $1,30.

HAY—Is reported steady but unchanged; baled, on wharf and track, $24@27 ₩ ton, according to quality.

HOMINY—Is quiet and unchanged; sales, in a jobbing way, at $4,50 ₩ bbl.

OILS—No. 1 Extra Lard Oil is quoted, in a jobbing way, at 83@85, and No. 2 at 62@63. Linseed Oil, 92@95.

ONIONS—Sales, in a jobbing way, at $2,50@3,25 ₩ bbl., according to quality and condition. Onion Setts, $4@5 ₩ bushel.

POTATOES—The demand, although mainly for small lots, is improving, but prices are unchanged, 75@80 cts ₩ bushel.

PEA NUTS—Sales at 8½@9 cts ₩ ℔.

PROVISIONS—Plain shoulders, 6 cts; sugar cured do, 8 cts; ribbed sides, 7½ cts; short rib, 8 cts; clear, 8½ cts; sugar cured hams, 11¾. Breakfast Bacon, 10¾@11. Ham sausage, 10; Dried Beef, 17 cts. Lard: in tierces, 9½. Mess Pork, $14.

RAGS—Sales at 4@4½ cts ₩ ℔.

SALT—Quiet and unchanged: $1,85 ₩ bbl, by the car load, and $2 in a jobbing way.

SEEDS—The market for Clover Seed continues dull, but there is no change to make in quotations; $5,00 in first hands, and $5,00@5,75 in a jobbing way. Timothy Seed is still quoted at $3,00@3,25. Flaxseed is in steady demand at $1,83@1,85.

TALLOW—Rough, 8½@9 cts ₩ ℔.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, THURSDAY, March 28, 1872.

There appears to be no inquiry for refined oil from any quarter. New York offering March freely at 22¼, but no buyers; Philadelphia, nominal at 21¾@22 for April, and 22¾@23 for May. No sales reported; business very dull, and not much prospect of an early improvement. Crude also dull but unchanged; sales, at Parker, at $3,41. The receipts at this point continue light and it follows, therefore, that stocks in the oil regions must be accumulating.

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY A. V. R. R.

Riverside O W, account A Sumick	74
Riverside O W, account W Stewart	444
Kier's O W, account B S Duncan	296
Oleopolis O W, account W Stewart	148
Sunbeam O W, account F Stephenson	148
Sunbeam O W, account T P Miller	444
Howard & Co., account J K Barbour	222
Total	1,776

OIL SHIPPED EAST PER A. V. R. R. AND W. P. R. R. March 27.

Vesta Oil Works, 555 bbls ref. oil to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.

Standard Oil Co., 670 bbls ref. oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Phila.

P. Weisenberger 161 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F & Co., Phila.

Triumph Ref. Co., 194 bbls ref. oil to Logan Bros. & Co., Phila.

Total 1,580 bbls.

Iron Markets.

NEW YORK.—The demand for Scotch pig has been rather light since our last, as consumers are unwilling to purchase to any extens at the present high prices. The receipts, however, continue moderate, and holders are tenacious of full rates; 100 tons Gartsherrie sold to arrive, at $52; 400 do. Glengarnock, and 100 do. Eglinton, March and April shipment, on private terms, closing at $50 for Eglinton and $52 for Glengarnock. American continues in good request, and is steady at the advance noted in our last; sales have been made of 400 tons No. 1 Lehigh, spot and forward delivery, at $50@51; and 120 do. White and Mottled Crane, on private terms. No. 1 is quoted $49@50, and Forge $47@48. There continues an active demand for Wrought Scrap and prices are very firm: 170 tons sold at $62,50@65, and to arrive 800 tons on private terms. There has been a little more inquiry for new rails and we notice sales of 4,000 tons 56 ℔. English, to arrive, and 4,000 do. American, on private terms, the market closing firm at $69@70 gold for English, and $76@80 currency for American, according to location of mill. Old are scarce and in demand at $52 gold to arrive, and $53 spot.—*Shiping List.*

PHILADELPHIA.—Pig Iron is in demand at the advance. Sales of No. 1 foundry at $48@50; No 2 at $45@48; Grey Forge at $44; Scotch pig at 46@47, and American refined bar iron at $98,56.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

PITTSBURGH F. W. AND C. R. R.

cars.			cars.
J. Wood Son & Co, m	5	Wm. Smith, metal	4
Spang, C & Co., met	3	Brown & Co., metal	1
J. Painter & Sons, m	2	J. W. Porter, metal	2
Hailman & H, metal	18	Coleman, R & Co., m	1
Lewis O & P, metal	4	Zug & Co., metal	1
Nimick & Co., metal	1		
Total			42

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Graff, B. & Co., m	2	Pitts Bolt Co, ore	2
Graff, B & Co., ore	1	Lucy Furnace, ore	2
Isabella Furn Co ore	10	Zug & Co., ore	2
Loomis & C, metal	7	Kloman, C & Co ore	2
Nimick & Co, metal	1	McKnight, P & Co	o 4
Shoenberger & Co.	o 17		
Total			51

PENNSYLVANIA R. R.

J. W. Porter, metal	5	J. Moorhead, metal	12
Brown & Co., metal	3	J. A. Caughey, met.	5
J. Wood & Co., met	1	J. Reamer, metal	5
Total			31

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

McKnight P. & Co, m	2	Byers, McC & Co., m	1
Lewis, O & P, metal	1		
Total			4

Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA.—There is very little movement but prices are steady. The sales include Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, super Saxony fleece, 83@85c; full blood merino fleece, 83@85c; three-quarter blood merino fleece, 82@85c; common fleece, 75@80c. Tub washed, choice selected, three-eighth grade, 93@94c; well washed, 85@90c; fair ordinary, 80@83c; low or burry, 68@80c. Domestic pulled, city merino, 78@80c; city super, 78@83c; western, 70@75c. California, fine fall clip, 37@40c; medium, fall clip, 40@45c; burry, fall clip, 30@35c. Colorado and New Mexican, fine and medium, choice selected, 48@55c; fine and medium, washed, 45@52c; common washed, 43@45c; black, 35@37c; unwashed, 35@42c. Texas, fine selected, free from burrs, 43@47c; medium selected, free from burrs, 42@47c; low, 38@40c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, March 28—5 P. M.—Consols: money, 93; account, 93⅛; 5-20's of '62, 92¾; '65, 93⅝; '67, 93¾; 10-40's, 89⅛.

PARIS, March 28.—Rentes 55f 70c.

FRANKFORT, March 28.—5-20's of '62, 96.

LIVERPOOL, March 28.—Cotton firmer; middling upland 11@11⅛d. California white wheat 11s 8d@11s 10d; red spring 10s 9d@11s; red winter 11s 7d. Flour 26@26s 6d. Corn 27s 9d.

New York.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Cotton less active: middling upland 23¼c. Flour steady: superfine western and State $6,20@6,55; common to good extra $6,65@6,95; good to choice $7,00@7,60; white wheat western extra $7,65@8,25; St. Louis $7,00@9,50. Rye flour and corn meal unchanged. Whisky dull at 87¾@88c. Wheat steadier; No 2 spring Chicago $1,50; No 1 Milwaukee $1,60; amber Michigan $1,70. Rye quiet; western 88½c. Barley and malt unchanged. Corn advanced; new western mixed 70@71½c; yellow 73c. Oats dull; western 53½@56c; Ohio 56@58c. Eggs in fair request; 23@24c. Hay quiet; shipping $1,35@1,40. Hops firm. Coffee firmer; Rio 18@20c. Sugar steady; fair to good refining 8¾@9¼c; Cuba 8⅛@9c. Molasses steady; New Orleans 58@62c. Rice in fair request at 8¾@9¼c. Petroleum: crude 12¾c; refined 22⅜@22¾c. Turpentine quiet at 71½c. Pork a shade easier; new mess $12,75; old $12,30; prime $11; new prime mess $14. Beef unchanged. Cut meats steady; hams 8¼@9¼c; shoulders 5@5¼c; middles dull; long clear 6⅞@7c. Lard steady; No 1 to prime steam 8¼@8⅞c; kettle 9⅛c. Butter steady; western 11@24c. Cheese quiet at 13@20c.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Beeves: to-day 1,800, with 900 yesterday; market firm for fat cattle at full prices, most of the droves being thinnish; these showed a weakness at the close, though about all are sold; range 10½@11c for ordinary; 10c for fair, and 13@13½c for good to choice; no very extras offering; 2 cars, 6 cwt. Cherokees sold at 12½c. Sheep: 2,800, and unchanged; thin to extra lots sell at 8@10½c, most lots at 9@10c. Hogs: 3,700; western dressed are no longer of any account; the market is slow and weak; 1 car, live Ohio, 190 lbs, selling at $4,87½; city dressed are worth $5,75@6,25.

BUFFALO, March 28.—Cattle: receipts 623, making supply for week so far 301 cars against 307 for the same time last week. Market quiet: sales: 116 Illinois steers, 1,134 to 1,297 lbs., $6,20@6,60; 100 Canada stockers and steers, 775 to 1,150 lbs., $3,87½@6,25; 81 Ohio steers, 1,028 to 1,137 lbs., $5,50@6,25; 34 Ohio stall fed bulls, 1,420 to 1,469 lbs., $5@5,25. Sheep: receipts 600, making total for week thus far 8,900 against 6,833 for the same time last week. Market quiet and dull, eastern buyers having mostly left: 108 Indiana sheep, 84 lbs., sold at $7,70; 109 Canada sheep, 98 lbs., $8. Hogs: receipts 1,600, making total for week thus far 11,100 against 13,500 last week. Market dull; sales, 60, 180 lbs., $4,45.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, March 28—The dry goods market is active and firm. There has been a further advance in flannels of 2½c per yard on various makes, and the demand is ahead of production. Gilberts No. 1, yard wide, are up to $1,20; do. No. 2 do $1,00; do No. 3 do 75c; do No. 4 do 70c; do No. 1 7-8 do $1,05; do No. 2 do 90c; do No. 3 do 70c; do No. 4 do 65c. Woolens generally on a rise and buoyant. Printed calicoes in good request, and with a reduced supply the market has a hardening tendency. All desirable brands are salable at 11½c, and select styles and colorings at 12c; Hamilton fancies and checks 12c. In staple cottons the changes are very slight. Suffolk R brown shirtings are up to 9c; Stark A brown sheeting 15c; Massachusetts B B 13c; do A 13c; do C 10½c; Lyman C 13c; Slaters and Masonsville paper cambrics 13½c; Laconia corset jeans 14½c; Androscoggin satteens 16c.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Flour: extra spring firm at $6,50@7,00. Wheat: No 2 spring firmer at $1,20¾@1,20⅞. Corn: No 2 mixed firmer at 37⅝@37¾c. Oats: No. 2 quiet at 30¼@30⅜c. Rye stronger at 69@70c. Barley more quiet and easier at 50c. Pork unsettled at $11,30. Lard unsettled at $8,10@8,15. Bulk meats loose unchanged; shoulders 4c; sides clear rib 5⅞@6c; sides clear 6⅛@6½c. Hams in pickle dull at 6⅞@8½c. Highwines firm at 83½c. Hogs lower at $4,00@6,60. Cattle firm; for shipping steers $7,20.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, March 28.—Cotton active and advanced; middling 22¼@22½c. Flour dull and drooping; family $7,50@7,75. Wheat quiet and unchanged; red $1,70@1,72. Corn opened firm but closed dull at 45@46c. Rye firm at 90@92c. Oats quiet and unchanged. Barley quiet. Mess pork dull but unchanged; $12 asked. Lard dull; sales at 8¼c for prime steam. Bulk meats quiet but unchanged; shoulder 4c; sides 5⅞@6⅛c. Bacon quiet; shoulders 5c; sides 6⅞@7½c. Hogs firm at $4,50@4,85; receipts 1,600. Whisky firm at 85c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, March 28.—Tobacco: sales 138 hhds; unchanged at full prices. Bagging quiet and firm; 17@17½c. Cotton a shade weaker; 21½c. Flour firm and active. Extra family $7,50. Grain quiet and firm. Corn 60@61c. Oats 55c. Barley 75@80c. Rye 85@90c. Provisions dull. Bulk shoulders 4¼@4⅜c; sides clear rib 5⅞@6c; clear 6c. Lard 9@9⅜. Mess pork quiet; $12,00. Whisky quiet at 85c.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, March 28.—Flour unchanged. Wheat closed at 1@3c higher; amber Michigan $1,56¾@1,57; No. 1 red $1,60; No. 2 $1,55. Corn better; high mixed 47c; low do, 46½c; yellow 47@47¼c; white 47½@48c; no grade 45c. Oats dull; No. 1 42c; No. 2 38c; Michigan 39@39½c. Clover seed $6,00. Mess pork $12,00. Lard 8@8½c.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, March 28.—Flour unchanged. Wheat firm; red $1,76. Rye 87@88c. Corn; yellow 66c; mixed western 64@65c. Oats unchanged. Provisions dull. Mess pork $13,00. Lard 9c. Crude petroleum 15¾@16c; refined 21½c. Whisky 90c.

Cotton Markets.

NASHVILLE, March 28.—Cotton firm; low middling 21½c.

MEMPHIS, March 28.—Cotton firm; low middling 21½c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, March 28.—Wheat firmer; No. 1 red winter $1,62; No. 2 $1,51@1,52. Corn firm; 52c for shelled. Oats strong; No. 1 43c. Refined petroleum steady and unchanged at 21c in car lots and 22@22½c in trade lots.

Detroit.

DETROIT, March 28.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady; extra $1,66½; No 2 $1,60½; amber $1,55@1,56. Corn dull and lower; 49c. Oats dull and lower at 39½c. Clover seed firm at $5,10.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD COMPANY, March 28.—100 bbls flour, Jenkins; 4 cars ore, Jas Wood, Son & Co; 1 car oats, Houck, McC & Co; 1 do do, Jas Graham; 1 car wheat, Marshall, Kennedy & Co; 8 bbls beans, 132 bbls onions, 20 bbls apples, 12 bbls eggs, 14 pkgs butter, Voigt, Mahood & Co; 11 do do, Jas O'Brien; 1 car barley, W J Meek; 60 bbls oil, B L Fahnestock & Co; 2 pkgs butter, 2 do eggs, F Baxmyer; 27 hides, Wm Flaccus & Son; 1 car oats, Keil & Ritchart; 2 kgs a butter, E Moye & Co; 5 bbls eggs, 10 bbls apples, 2 kgs a butter, J O'Brien; 20 bxs soap, Voigt & Megraw; 5 pkgs butter, H Rea Jr; 8 bbls apples, W H Graff & Co; 1 keg a butter, ½ bbl eggs, H Loh; 7 bbls apples, 10 tubs butter, Loh & Cooley; 48 bales w bowls, S Musgrave; 7 sks rags, Haworth & D; 1 bbl eggs, Houck, McC & Co; 182 bdls c h ware, Hare & Bro; 1 bbl eggs, J A Duff; 25 bdls spokes, McWhinney & Co; 1 car flour and feed, Shomaker & Co; 5 bbls flour, W Haslage & Co; 5 bbls gin, M Munhall & Co; 13 tubs butter, W H Graff & Co; 13 do do, 5 bbls bw flour, J A Graff & Co; 20 pkgs liquor, Weller & Bro; 25 pkgs crackers, Kramer & V; 50 bbls spirits, Schmidt & Friday; 100 bbls flour, D Wallace; 100 do do, W G Fitch; 10 bbls oil, Wm B Hays & Son; 50 bbls hams, F Sellers & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION, March 28.—193 bags barley, M Weil & Co; 9 cars limestone, Superior Iron Co; 1 car lime, A G Neff; 1 do do, Jno K Shinn; 2 cars hay, Stewart & Bro; 3 kgs scrap iron, 1 bbl do, M Canon; 2 bxs maple sugar, C H Schwarberg & Co; 2 wheels, Lamm & Co; 1 car brick and clay, Pgh Locomotive & C Works; 1 car ear corn, M Weil & Co; 10 emt ale bbls, Smith & Co; 20 do do, Young & Booth; 1 hf car h h goods, R Bobenwith; 2 boxes, 1 crib, and 2 chairs, Jno Vogley; 6 bales hemp, Bentley & Gerwig; 2 cars baled hay, McFarland & Co; lot h h goods, Nancy Harper; 1 do do, Barney Bannon; 1 bx butter, 4 bbls eggs, Henry Lenz; 1 car oats, Adams & Knox; 5 cars c coal, Allegheny Gas Works; 1 car staves, J M Hemphill; 2 kegs tallow, 5 bdls g hides, Lewis Holstein; 2 bbls eggs, John Herbert; 1 car brick, Isabella Furnace Co; 1 car mill feed, R Knox & Son; 1 csk ware, M A Fuches; 1 car oats, Young & B; 1 car wheat, Gilmore & Co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD COMPANY, March 28.—3 bbls lard oil, M A Jones; 1 safe, J K Boie; 101 bbls lime, C P Henderson; 21 rolls paper, C P Markle & Son; 40 cases wine, Little & M; 150 bbls apples, Aiken & W; 4 bxs s machines, Smith & L; 24 cases ink, M Herzog & Bro; chill fire, S A Clark & Co; do do, Porter, B & Co; 2 cases wood in shape, Ceymore, T & Co; 10 casks p ash, J Lindsay & Co; 14 do do, Voigt, M & Co; 3 racks, Carter Bro; 25 cases cigars, T C Jenkins; 2 do do, Austin & Co; 1 car n kegs, Phillips & M; 317 rolls paper, Pitts Paper Mfg Co; 14 bureaus, Close, S & Co; lot furniture, H Berger & Co; 7 cases paper, Hostetter & Smith; 1 bbl o meal, F W McClure; 2 do do, J E Strickler 2 casks chains, Lewis, O & P; 6 tubs butter, S P Shriver; 32 bales hay, J Rose.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD COMPANY, March 28.—1 car hay, O H Allerton; 4 bales rope, Godfrey & Clark; 6 do do, A Culbertson; 1 bx drugs, F H Stewart; 13 bales b corn, P Duff & Son; 2 bbls eggs, Carter Bros; 1 car hay, A J Hagen; 1 do do, Scott & Gisal; 1 do do, T Brady & Co; 18 sks wheat, S B Floyd & Co 2 bbls tallow, Wm Flaccus; 1 car oats, Young & Winters; 5 boxes g ware, Mutual Glass Co; 40 bdls s boards, J Shaw; 3 bbls eggs, Voigt, M & Co; 50 do h wines, Shipton & W; 50 do do, Little & M; 50 do fluid, W Atwater; 1 car oats, M F Herron; 5 tcs hams, J A Graff; 67 bdls g s hides, J Callery & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY March 28.—1 car lumber, B Schmidt & Co; 4 do do, A V R R Co; 7 sks rags, 3 do beans, Rinehart & S; 66 sks rags, McCullough, S & Co; 1 car lime, T P Henderson; 10 bdls hides, A Holsteine; 1 bbl eggs, 1 bx butter, J Schall; 1 do do, 1 bbl eggs, C Seidenstricker; 13 hides, J Stuckrath; 1 car old iron, E T Briggs 5 do r r iron, C Mt V & D R R Co; 8 do old railroad iron, Harbaugh, M & Co; 127 cars coal, S M Kier & Co; 17 do do, Coleman, R & Co; 63 do do, Armstrong, D & Co.

RIVER NEWS.

The river continues to rise slowly at this point with 3 feet 6 inches in the channel, according to the marks last evening. The Allegheny river was rising at Oil City yesterday with 17 inches reported early in the day, and, there as here, weather warm. The Monongahela river reported stationary at head waters.

No arrivals or departures to note excepting the Monongahela river packets.

The Juniata is still laid up at Rochester waiting for water.

The Kiskaminetas river was reported rising yesterday from the melting of the snows, and if the weather should continue warm for a few days longer, the Allegheny ice will be forced out. The latter stream has been frozen over since early in January, something that has not taken place for many years.

The E. H. Durfee and Wild Duck, for St. Louis, and Exporter, for New Orleans, will depart on the first water.

—The Messenger left Nashville for this port on Tuesday.

—The steamer Katie will be started out from New Orleans this week, the creditors and owners having affected a compromise.

—Lake Pepin, upper Mississippi, is frozen so hard that boatmen are of opinion it will not break up before some time in May.

—It was reported at Cincinnati on Tuesday, that pilot Levi Dix, of that place, has been appointed to the command of the Wild Duck.

—The steamer W. F. Curtis was sold Saturday at New Orleans, at U. S. Marshal's sale. Capt. Cooley, of the Eureka, being the highest bidder, secured the Curtis for twenty-six hundred dollars—one hundred more than she was sold at four years ago. Capt. Cooley will run her in one of the lower tributaries.

—A St. Louis telegram says: W. W. Graves, clerk of the steamer Utah, who absconded Tuesday night with eight or ten thousand dollars belonging to the boat, was yesterday captured in Idaho City, by Sergeant Lawrence Harrigan, chief of the detective force of this city. A telegram was received yesterday here, stating that the prisoner would be brought here on the first train. The money was probably recovered. One thousand dollars reward was offered by the owner of the boat for the arrest of the clerk.

—It is a noticeable fact (says the Cincinnati *Gazette*) that more than half the cases reported by the New Orleans papers as coming before the United States District Court in that city are cases where a steamboat is either plaintiff or defendant, or both—generally the defendant. So many of these are reported that the river editor in another city, in his search for news in exchanges, has not performed his whole duty to his readers unless he has scanned the court report of those papers. Many of these cases are where information has been filed for nonconformity with the existing steamboat law, and no doubt that odious character, "the informer," abounds in New Orleans, and half the penalty lines his pockets. The time was that if a steamer were built for the Red river trade, the great fear was that she would not pass the inspection of Cooper, the inspector for underwriters in New Orleans. Now, however, a steamer fitted for any trade, and which has passed the inspection of the United States Local Inspectors of other ports, has good reason to dread the appearance of the United States Local Inspectors at New Orleans. We have heard much complaint against the U. S. Local Inspectors at this port because they enforce the law that they are sworn to enforce, and which they had no hand in making. Our inspectors are rigid in its enforcement; and yet it seems that after being inspected here, even, with her papers safely exposed in her cabin, a steamer is in danger of being tied up when she reaches New Orleans. This is all preliminary to the United States District Court report, as it appears in the New Orleans *Republican* of Sunday last:

Parties in interest are to show cause, on April 1, why the commissioner's report be not approved in the case against the Ida, and the proceeds distributed in accordance with law.

Time to advise was taken in the exceptions in the cases of the United States against the steamers Indiana, Henry Ames, C. B. Church and Dexter, originally libeled for transportation of septoline oil, "refuse of coal oil," an inflammable and combustible liquid, without complying with the customary forms.

Rule in the case of Cunningham and others against steamer Santa Martha dismissed.

The voluminous testimony in the case of the tug Tecumseh in collision with the London is ordered printed, the losing party paying for the whole business.

In the case of Phelps, McCullough & Co., against J. M. White, an injunction issued, restraining the Sheriff from selling the steamboat Katie or taking action under judgment of a State Court "until further orders of this Court."

The rule, after suggesting the pending application against J. M. White, to declare him a bankrupt, goes on to say that White confessed judgment in the Fourth District Court for the parish of Orleans, that he might defeat the operations of the bankrupt act and D. C. McCan & Son, in whose favor judgment was confessed, were about to proceed, by a writ of execution, to go for the Katie, when the injunction put a stopper to it.

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD

After November 12th, 1871. Trains will arrive and depart as follows:

EASTWARD. Through Trains Leave Union Depot.		WESTWARD. Through Trains arrive at Union Depot.	
Pacific Express	2:50am	Mail Train	1:05am
Mail Train	7:35am	Fast Line	1:35am
Cincinnati Ex	12:50pm	Cincinnati Ex	8:20am
Phila. Ex	5:20pm	Southern Ex	9:10am
Fast Line	7:20pm	Thro' Pass'ger	1:35pm
		Pacific Express	2:05pm
		Way Passenger	8:20pm
LOCAL.		LOCAL.	
Wall's No. 1	6:30am	Wall's No. 1	6:20am
Wall's No. 2	7:55am	Brinton Accom. No. 1	7:50am
Wall's No. 3	10:20am	Wall's No. 2	8:50am
Wall's No. 4	11:51am	Wall's No. 3	10:05am
Wall's No. 5	3:20pm	Wall's No. 4	1:20pm
Johnstown Ac	4:05pm	Wall's No. 5	3:20pm
Brinton Accom. No. 1	4:50pm	Wall's No. 6	5:50pm
Braddock's Ac'n No. 1	5:35pm	Brinton Accom. No. 2	6:50pm
Wall's No. 6	6:05pm	Braddock's Ac'n No. 1	7:20pm
Brinton Accom. No. 2	9:20pm	Brinton Accom. No. 3	11:10pm
Wall's Ac. No. 7	11:05pm		

Cincinnati Express, Pacific Express and Brinton Accommodation No. 2 leave daily.
All other trains daily except Sunday.
PACIFIC EXPRESS, leaving Pittsburgh at 2:50 A. M.; arrives at Harrisburg 11:35 A. M.; Philadelphia 3:40 P. M.; Baltimore 3 P. M.; Washington 5:05 P. M.
CINCINNATI EXPRESS, leaving Pittsburgh at 12:50 P. M.; arrives at Harrisburg 10:35 P. M.; Philadelphia 3:05 A. M.; Baltimore 2:20 A. M.; Washington 3:50 A. M.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS, leaving Pittsburgh at 5:20 P. M., arrives at Harrisburg 2:30 A. M.; Philadelphia 6:40 A. M.
FAST LINE, leaving Pittsburgh at 7:20 P. M., arrives at Harrisburg 3:55 A. M.; Philadelphia 8:05 A. M.; Baltimore 7:20 A. M.; Washington 10 A. M.
The Church Train leaves Wall's Station every Sunday at 9:15 A. M., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:05 A. M. Returning, leave Pittsburgh at 12:30 P. M. and arrive at Wall's Station at 2:05 P. M.
Baggage will be checked through to destination from hotels and residences by the Excelsior Baggage Express Co. on orders left at the Ticket office.
Through Tickets, Commutation Tickets and Local Tickets can be procured at
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From Nov. 12th, 1871, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:58am	Pacific Express	2:23am
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6:43am	Wheeling Ex	10:53am
Erie & Yo. Ex	7:13am	Chicago Express	12:23pm
Chicago Mail	7:23am	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	4:58pm
Pacific Express	9:43am	Cleveland Ex	4:13pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex	2:23pm	Erie & Yo. Ex	6:13pm
Chicago Express	2:43pm	Chicago Mail	8:48pm
Wellsville Ex	4:38pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex	6:53pm
Erie Express	4:48pm	Erie Express	11:18pm
DEPART FROM ALLEGH'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	8:38am	Leetsdale Accom	6:53am
Leetsdale Accom	10:23am	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:08am
Leetsdale Accom	11:53am	Enon Accom	8:58am
New Castle Ac	1:33pm	New Castle Ac	10:23am
Enon Accom	3:58pm	Leetsdale Accom	12:43pm
Leetsdale Accom	5:28pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:23pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:23pm	Leetsdale Accom	4:33pm
Leetsdale Accom	10:43pm	Leetsdale Accom	7:33pm
Fair Oaks Sunday church	12:43pm	Fair Oaks Sunday church	9:58am

Fast Line leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.
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PITTSBURGH, WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE RAILROAD.
CONNELLSVILLE ROUTE. On and after Monday, Nov. 20, 1871, Trains will arrive and depart from Depot, corner Grant and Water streets, Pittsburgh, as follows, (City Time):

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Baltimore Ex	6:30am	1st McKeesport Accommod'n	6:40am
Cumberl'd Mail	6:50am	2d McKeesport Accommod'n	7:40am
1st McKeesport Accommod'n	11:00am	West Newton Ac.	8:35am
Mixed Way	1:00pm	Uniontown Ac	9:50am
Uniontown Ac'n	3:10pm	Pittsburgh Ex	11:00am
West Newton	4:40pm	3d McKeesport Accommod'n	2:10pm
2d McKeesport Accommod'n	6:25pm	Cumberl'd Mail	6:10am
3d McKeesport Accommod'n	11:00pm	Mix'd Way	7:30pm
West Newton *Church Train	12:50pm	West Newton Church Train	10:05am

*Sunday only.
Baltimore Express departs and Pittsburgh Express arrive daily. All other trains daily except Sunday. The Baltimore Express and Pittsburgh Express, Mail and Uniontown Accommodation east and west will connect at Broad Ford and Connellsville with trains to Mt. Pleasant and Uniontown.
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On and after MONDAY, November 20, 1871, THREE THROUGH TRAINS daily, (except Sunday) will leave and arrive at Pittsburgh, city time, for Franklin, Oil City, Buffalo, and all points in the Oil Regions.

	LEAVES.	ARRIVES.
Day Express	7:40am	8:45pm
Night Express	8:10pm	6:33am
Mail	11:30am	5:50pm
First Hulton Accommodation	6:55am	6:45am
Brady's Bend Accommoda'n	3:20pm	10:20am
Freeport Accommodation	9:50am	2:00pm
Soda Works Accommodation	6:00pm	6:55am
Second Hulton Accommoda'n	1:35pm	8:55am
Third Hulton Accommoda'n	10:50pm	7:15am
Special Sunday Train for Parker	7:40am	7:45pm

Church train to and from Soda Works, (Sundays) arrives at Pittsburgh 9:50 am and leaves at 12:50 pm.
Express trains stop only at principal points.
Accommodation trains stop at all stations.
A Special Sunday train leaves Pittsburgh every Sunday at 7:40 am, arriving at Parker at 11:31 am. Returning, leaves Parker at 5:00 pm and arrives at Pittsburgh at 8:45 pm.
Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars on night Express trains between Pittsburgh and Titusville. Through coaches on Day Express trains between Pittsburgh and Brocton.
Through Tickets, Commutation Tickets, and Local Tickets can be procured at the Ticket Offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and in the Union Depot.
J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Sup't., Pittsburgh.
J. JAS. H. BRAY, Ticket Agent.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. Pan-Handle Route.
After December 3d, 1871, trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh time.

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	1:58am	Southern Ex	2:33am
Columbus Mail	7:28am	McDonald Ac	7:28am
Wash. Accom	9:08am	Wash. Accom	8:48am
Pacific Express	9:43am	Steubenville Ac	10:13am
McDonald Ac	11:38am	Cincinnati Ex	12:13pm
Southern Ex	3:13pm	McDonald Ac	4:13pm
Steubenville Ac	3:38pm	Columbus Mail	5:48pm
McDonald Ac	5:58pm	Fast Line	6:58pm
Sunday Church train	12:58pm	Sunday Church train	9:58am

3:13 pm Southern Express will leave daily.
12:13 pm Cincinnati Express will arrive daily.
All other Trains will run daily, except Sundays.
Trains on Chartiers Railroad will leave Mansfield on the arrival of Washington Accommodation, leaving Pittsburgh at 9:08 am and Steubenville Accommodation leaving Pittsburgh at 3:38 pm, returning will connect at Mansfield with Washington Accommodation due in Pittsburgh at 8:48 am, and Mail Train due in Pittsburgh at 5:48 pm.
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WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. On and after Monday, November 13, 1871, the Passenger Trains on the Western Pennsylvania Railroad will leave from and arrive at the Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, as follows, (Allegheny time):

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Springdale No.1	6:35am	Mail	6:50am
Freeport No.1	8:30am	Freeport No.1	9:20am
Express	10:30am	Claremont Ac	11:20am
Claremont Ac	1:18pm	Springdale No. 1	2:45pm
Freeport No.2	3:55pm	Express	3:35pm
Mail	5:15pm	Freeport No. 2	4:35pm
Springdale No.2	6:29pm	Springdale No. 2	6:25pm

The above Trains run daily except Sunday.
The Church Train leaves Freeport every Sunday at 8:10 A. M., reaching Allegheny City at 9:00 A. M. Returning, leaves Allegheny City at 12:50 P. M., and arrives at Freeport at 2:50 P. M.
The 6:50 A. M. train and 3:35 P. M. train from Allegheny City make direct connection for Butler.
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HOME NEWS.

Those of our readers who contemplate changing their residence on the first of April, will please give notice to the carrier, or leave word at our counting room, so the paper can be delivered promptly.

For Rent.—Four rooms on second floor of GAZETTE building, corner of Sixth avenue and Smithfield street. These rooms are desirable for offices. For terms, &c., apply at GAZETTE Counting Room.

Letters Held for Postage.—I. F. Rogers, Bridgeport, Pa., 3c; W. Wright, Farmland, Ind.; James Clayton, Farmland, Ind., 3c; Miss Annie Steele, New Philadelphia, Ohio, 3c.

Y. M. C. A.—The bible class held in the parlor of the Young Men's Christian Association, will be conducted this (Friday) evening by Thos. Bakewell, Esq., Superintendent of Christ M. E. Church. School teachers and all others interested in the study of the uniform lesson series are invited to attend.

Buyers of Real Estate have a rare opportunity in the Orphans' Court Sale on Saturday, of that valuable property on Fifth avenue, near the new market house, belonging to the estate of the late John Flinn, which is advertised in another column, by Mr. John O'Keefe, the administrator.

Child Smothered.

Yesterday morning Coroner West held an inquest on the remains of an infant named Rob- [illegible] at twelve o'clock at night. Wednesday night after he had left the house his wife fed the child, which was at that well as usual; and afterward retired with it to bed. At about seven o'clock the father came home for his breakfast, and went to the room to awaken his wife. He found the babe lying, with its face pressed close against her, and on taking the little one up, discovered it to be quite dead. Dr. Allinder was called in the case, and testified that, according to the best of his belief, the child died from being smothered. The jury returned a verdict of death from accidental smothering.

Lecture by Rev. Wm. T. Beatty.

Last evening Rev. W. T. Beatty lectured to a large audience at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A., on the subject as announced—"William the Silent." The life and character of this great man, so full of interest to every student of history, was handled in an able and forcible manner, the speaker keeping the audience deeply interested from the beginning to the end of the lecture.

Owing to the shortness of the time, the lecturer was necessarily obliged to pass rapidly over many striking points and incidents in his life, and also leave unsaid many things which could have been developed to much advantage. His lecture will attain this one great end, that of drawing the thoughts of our young men to this class of reading, and thus develop a taste for something better than mere trashy literature.

Announcement was made of a free concert to be given by the Pittsburgh Quintette Club, on Thursday evening, April 4th, in the rooms of the Association.

A New Lecturer.

Mr. D. I. K. Rine, whose experiences in Chicago, were of such an unpleasant character, proposes to embody his views of men and matters in that city, drawn from his own knowledge, in a lecture to be delivered in a few days in our city. The discourse will not be taken up with animadversions upon the city or its people, but the lecturer will endeavor to give a faithful portraiture of some of the humorous and of the darker scenes of life in the Metropolis of the west, that fell under his own observation. Mr. Rine does not intend to offer this as a palliation for his mistakes, but humbly acknowledging his errors, desires a hearing from the charitable, and the Christian, by which he hopes in a measure to regain their confidence and sympathy in his efforts hereafter to walk in the path of rectitude. His desire is certainly a proper one, and none but the most bitter and thoroughly uncharitable could refuse to look with favor upon any attempt honestly made by the erring, to retrive the past.

The Check Raising Case.

A decision in the case of H. C. Comegys and J. H. Ludwick, charged with "check raising" was reached yesterday afternoon, when the jury returned, a short time before the adjournment of Court and rendered a verdict of not guilty. They had been out from Tuesday afternoon and much specilation was indulged in as to what their verdict would be. The accused as soon as the verdict was announced were discharged, but just as they were passing out of the Court-room and receiving the congratulations of their friends their felicity was interupted by officers Scott and Strain, who took them into custody on warrants issued on informations made against them in Cincinnatti. They were held while word of their arrest was telegraphed to Cincinnati. Later in the evening a telegram was received from the parties in Cincinnati stating that they could not come on now. Chief Irwin on receipt of this intelligence at once released the men, rightly concluding he had no right to hold them if the accusers could not come on to face the accused and make good their charges; so they got thoroughly out of trouble at last, and at once made prepartions to start for Baltimore, their home. In the light of the verdict they seem to have been the victims of very unhappy circumstances, and their final release ought to be a source of real gratification to all their friends.

The Annual Settling Up.

Monday next will be the First of April—the great annual pay-day, the near approach of which is attested by the bustle and animation among our money changers and the long faces of those who seek loans and find them not. The number of these latter will diminish from now on to the First, for appearances seem to indicate that the money market will be easy. Now, what is the duty of people who have money, and who have in it their pockets or in hand, subject to draft? Obviously, answers one, to put it in motion—to pay their debts as quickly as possible—the sooner the better—thereby saving all risk of losing it or having it stolen. Let it circulate—circulate—circulate! Keep the ball in motion. Follow the example of John Smith, who got a thousand dollars for twenty days from the Bank on Friday—before Saturday night it was circulated around. After paying off John Brown's mortgage of $800, he devoted the balance to the grocer and other people who had bills against him. By this prompt action Brown was enabled to make up the sum $1200 to pay Jones on the same day, which Jones took to the Bank and with it paid off a note of that amount which was not due, Jones was not obliged to pay this money until the note was due, but he thought it was better to pay it off than to let the money be idle; and so it was, for he gets credit at the bank as a prompt pay master. By this prompt action of Smith and Brown and Jones, this $1000 borrowed from the bank, has lubricated the machinery of trade, and the wheels all move along harmoniously—no screeching—and what is more the bank will be enabled to lend the money again to Mr. Nimble Penny, who has arranged to have his first of April business all over before that day arrives—when, as he says, there is always such a rush that it is rather by good luck than good management that he can get his business attended to at all. The bank is sure to accommodate Nimble Penny because he always pays his note when due. Nimble Penny, too, has all the better credit, because he never runs in debt, but pays as he goes along.

Public Entertainments.

FIFTH AVENUE OPERA HOUSE.—Again was the "Long Strike" presented to a fine audience at the Fifth Avenue last evening. To-night Manager Beamer takes a grand complimentary benefit, upon which occasion a splendid bill, consisting of the "Hunchback" and the "Laughing Hyena," will be given. This is the only time that Manager Beamer has ever consented to appear before the public in the capacity of a beneficiary. The public will no doubt this evening show their very high appreciation of this ever courteous and genial manager, by giving him a benefit of which even Pittsburghers, who are noted for their tact in detecting and readiness in acknowledging, true merit, will have reason to be proud.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—The sensation of "Buffalo Bill" continues to draw large audiences at this house, and these audiences continue to express their delight and satisfaction at the manner in which the play is presented. After all it is the manner rather than the matter that draws the large houses at the Pittsburgh this week. "Buffalo Bill" will be repeated to-night.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—This morning at nine o'clock the box office will be open for the sale of reserved seats, for the engagement of Robert McWade as "Rip Van Winkle," which begins on Monday next. On that day Manager Beamer, with his excellent company, will change their quarters from the Fifth Avenue Opera House to the Academy of Music, and we are promised—and have reason to expect—a brilliant spring season at this really handsome and commodious place of amusement.

THE ART GALLERY.—The collection in the Art Gallery at Library Hall, is one that should be visited not once, or twice alone, but many times, for each visit will develop something new and will repay fourfold the time spent in the examination and study of the paintings. Pittsburgh lovers of the fine arts have seldom had such an opportunity to see some of the finest specimens from our best painters at home and abroad, and they will be wise to make the best of their privileges.

THE READINGS.—The one evening's entertainment from Sheakspeare and the Poets, to be given by Miss Cushman on Monday night, promises to be one of the most enjoyable literary treats of the season. In every other city the critics have been exceedingly profuse in their praises, and if but the half be realized here, our people will have no reason to regret their attendance. The sale of reserved seats yesterday gave promise of an excellent audience.

ANNIE DICKINSON.—This popular lecturess will be the next on the list at Library Hall, in the regular course of Library Lectures. Tuesday evening she appears for the second time this season, when "we the people" will receive attention. Miss Dickinson has a sufficient number of friends in Pittsburgh to fill the hall to overflowing, and it is altogether probable they will turn out next Tuesday evening.

Marion United States Watch Co's Watches, (Giles, Wales & Co.,) were awarded the First Premiums, at "Fair of American Institute," New York, 1870; at Fair of "Ohio Mechanics' Institute," Cincinnati, 1870; at "Louisiana State Fair," New Orleans, La., 1870; at "Texas State Fair," Houston, Texas, 1871; at "International Industrial Exposition," Buffalo, N. Y., 1871; at "Iowa State Fair," Dubuque, Iowa, 1871, and at every Fair where they have been exhibited, over all competitors.

BREVITIES.

GOOD FRIDAY.

GET YOUR Easter eggs ready.

ONE horse street cars are a success.

A CUBIC inch of gold is worth to-day just about $160.

MANAGER BEAMER'S benefit takes place this evening.

THE Haymakers perform at East Liberty Tuesday next.

LITTLE GIRLS in Cincinnati do a thriving business at selling papers.

GOTTHOLD has gotten hold of the New Opera House for the next three years.

THE patrons at the Allegheny Small-pox Hospital have dwindled down to one.

THE season for ruffled tempers, family jars and broken household effects is at hand.

THE alterations and renovation of the Custom House buildings have been almost completed.

THE word "Mayor" is derived from the Latin *major*, (greater), and signifies senior alderman.

MRS. HELEN P. JENKINS delivered her lecture on "Woman's Mission," last evening in Saltsburg.

DIMINUTIVE radishes and incipient clusters of lettuce are temptingly displayed in the market stalls.

DOLLY VARDEN promises to become more notorious shortly than Dolly Sumner or any other Dolly.

DOLLY VARDEN hats, bonnets, boots, gaiters and skirts, all sizes, are offered for sale at the ladies' bazaars.

MAYOR BLACKMORE yesterday went east on business. Alderman O'Donnell will act as Deputy during the absence of the Mayor.

U. S. DISTRICT ATTORNEY SWOOPE returned yesterday morning from Washington, where he had been for several days attending to official business.

THE latest fashionable ornaments are of amber, and will, in a few months, completely supersede the tortoise shell jewelry, which has held its own for an usually long time.

THE inmates of the Central station-house night before last were edified with alternate quotations from Shakespeare and the Bible, from a poor inebriate who had seen better and happier days.

"THE SHELTERING ARMS," the reformatory institution for fallen women, which is being erected at Wilkinsburg, is approaching completion and is expected to be ready for occupancy by the first of May.

A CERTIORARI to the Supreme Court has been taken in the case of R. H. Palmer et. al. vs. David Hostetter, which was tried a short time since and in which a verdict for plaintiffs for $57,425 was rendered.

ON and after April 10th the cars on the Citizens' Passenger Railway will stop only at the cross streets and alleys along their route, at the upper crossings going east, and at the lower crossings coming west.

A MEETING of the owners and drivers of express wagons was held last evening when it was decided that two dollars an hour or fifteen dollars per day should be charged for moving parties to-morrow and Monday.

THE friends of Hon. Alfred Slack, of Allegheny, had the pleasure yesterday, for the first time, of congratulating him upon his recovery from a severe attack of varioloid, which has confined him to the house for several weeks past.

A SLIGHT FIRE occurred this morning between twelve and one o'clock in a two-story brick house on Cherry alley, between Second and Third avenues, caused by coals rolling from a stove to the floor, in which quite a large hole was burned.

A WATER pipe bursted on Washington street, yesterday morning, and flooded the cellars in the vicinity. About a hundred dollars worth of property were destroyed in the cellar of Myers' grocery store, corner of Washington street and Wylie avenue.

THE physicians yesterday made the discovery that ex-Alderman Irwin, by the railroad accident, suffered a fracture of the ulna bone of the right forearm. They reset the fractured limb and relieved the sufferer of much pain in that locality, which heretofore could not be accounted for.

A PETITION was presented in the Court of Common Pleas, yesterday morning, asking that the place of holding elections in South Versailles township be changed from what was known as the Green Tree Hotel to the public school house in that township. The petition was granted and an order issued making the change.

SAYS the Boston *Globe*: "Going to weddings in itself is a very commendable practice, but getting home again in a decorous manner is hardly less important. The young man in Pittsburgh, who was so overcome by the effects of the plum cake as to wander into the back door of his neighbor's house, was very properly taken for a burglar, and treated accordingly." Who is he?

THE District Court will be in session to-day. Judge Kirkpatrick deciding that Good Friday, though a legal holiday, can be better observed by proceeding with the regular business and dealing out justice, than by observing it as a day of rest. It is probable that the business disposed of on such a day will be legal, as it might be if transacted on Sunday, but there are many who will doubt the propriety of holding Court when all the other public business institutions are closed by reason of the holiday.

JUDGING from the way seats were sold yesterday, Charlotte Cushman will have an immense house on Monday evening. The following is the programme. Part 1. Henry VIII. Act III.—Scene 4—The Trial of Queen Catharine. Act IV.—Scene 2—The Downfall of Cardinal Wolsey. Part II. Miscellaneous Selections.—"The Battle of Ivry,"—Macauley. "After Blenheim,"—Southey. "The Death of the Old Squire,"—Anonymous. "Betsey and I are out," Will M. Carleton.

A LADY was asked by her Biddy about the nature of the next world, and whether it would be just like this. The lady being blessed with a happy family of eleven children, has a skeleton in the house in the shape of a stocking-basket that never gets empty, and at whose side she has spent many a weary midnight hour in darning. With this spectre before her eyes she replied to the girl playfully, "I don't think we will be required to darn stockings after midnight." "Sure and that's thrue for you, mum, for all the pictures of angels I have ever seen were barefooted."

THE latest style of wedding tour is a tour round the world, which can now be accomplished in a few months, and is something for a couple to boast of all the rest of their days. Through tickets are now issued, the price being $1,145 in gold, and the running time eighty-one days. The line of route going westward is: From New York to San Francisco, about 3,000 miles; San Francisco to Yokohama, 4,700; thence to Hong Kong, 1,600 miles; thence to Calcutta, 3,800 miles; thence to Bombay, 1,400 miles; Bombay to Suez, 3,000 miles; from Suez by the way of Alexandria and Brindisi to London, about 2,390 miles, and from London to New York, 3,200.

THE windy month of March is nearly over, and April with its smiles and blossoms and Easter holidays will soon be here, when the festivities, temporarily suspended by Lent, will be renewed. Already the windows of the millinery and furnishing stores are dressed in elegant style with the spring fashions which are to adorn the female portion of the community, and the promenades will soon wear an air of gayety worth gazing upon. Pittsburgh has long enjoyed a wide renown for taste and elegance of its ladies in the matter of dress, and we judge it will lose none of its laurels this season.

MANUFACTURING NEWS.

Pittsburgh and Vicinity.

LEWIS, OLIVER & PHILLIPS are introducing a new and valuable economical fence, which promises to have a world-wide celebrity.

LEWIS POWE, manager at the copper works of Park & Co., is the name of the gentleman who first introduced the Siemen's gas regenerative furnace in this country.

A TRAIN of rolls, thirty-one inches in diameter and eight feet between bearings, has been ordered at Garrison & Co's., by the Abbott Iron Works, Baltimore. This is an unusal size in diameter and length, there being nothing so far any larger.

THE Jones & Nimick Manufacturing Company are compiling an elegant illustrated catalogue of their productions, which will be ready for distribution early in April, in which the latest novelties in the way of manufacturers' and builders' hardware will be shown.

The shortening of puddling furnaces by leaving out the neck almost entirely is now being done after trial by some of our mills. The improvement contracts the entire furnace about thirty inches. The fire chamber and working chamber also are same as usual. Some half dozen of our Pittsburgh mills have adopted the change; the saving is obvious.

The manufacture of hoop iron is fast getting to be a specialty, limited to those who make no other kind of iron, roll trains being adapted in speed and constructed with a view solely for this purpose. The rolls are turned so that the iron can be rapidly reduced and greater quantity produced and better finished, while very strict attention is given to the selection of metals for proper mixture

THE National Foundry and Pipe Works of Wm. Smith, Pittsburgh, covers six acres of ground, and employ 350 men. This establishment furnishes gas and water mains for many of the largest gas and water corporations in the country. All the pipe is cast vertically and, by a new process of making cores, can be made of any size to within one per cent. of the estimated weight of the pattern. Over 200 tons of pipe are made daily, and it is the most complete and best equipped establishment of the kind in the country.

WATER FLUES for pudding furnaces, of the Ross & Clemens patent, are becoming general, being now in use in two hundred and ten furnaces, while nine mills have it put in on trial. The mills which have it in use speak of it as a simple improvement of great value. The first of them that adopted it have not renewed the base or "square" of the stack since—a period of over eight months, and working double turn. When this improvement was first used, a cast-iron box was placed in the bottom of the flue to receive the water, but since then this has been dispensed with, so that the brick work alone is all that is required. The waste water from the cooling "bosh" is the only supply, and the improvement is one without incidental expense when in use.

Exhibition of Novelties.

We would earnestly recommend to the attention of the Ladies the large and varied stock of Novelties now being exhibited by Paul H. Hacke, at his temporary store No. 21 Fifth Avenue. Mr. Hacke has certainly surpassed all His former efforts in securing for his customers Some of the choicest goods imported this season And at prices that cannot fail to be appreciated By them. His stock of Black Silks is unusually Large and of extra good value; also, Japanese And Summer Silks in styles to suit every taste. Mr. Hacke is also showing a magnificent Assortment of Ottoman and Brocaded Shawls, Braided Sacques, Talmas of exquisite finish and Design. The stock of Dress Goods, Dolly Vardens and Chintzes is the finest in the city, And well worthy of inspection.

PENNSYLVANIA FEMALE COLLEGE.

The Soiree Musicale Last Evening—A Musical, Social and Intellectual Treat—A Worthy Institution that is Doing a Noble Work.

One of those re-unions which are at once gratifying and enjoyable in the highest degree, to the faculty, the pupils, the patrons and the friends of an educational institution, took place last evening at the Pennsylvania Female College, Fifth avenue, this city. The occasion was the second musical soiree of the present season—the second year of the institution. That these entertainments are the source of true enjoyment to the participants and the guests—but particularly the latter—we need only tell those who have never been fortunate enough to attend them. The performers on the occasion were pupils in the institution; and those who composed the audience, patrons of the college, friends of the pupils, and friends of education and refinement,—the general public showing their appreciation of the institution by attending in large numbers to countenance and encourage the good work in which the directors and faculty are engaged. The concourse which gathered at the College last evening was really one of the best of the fine audiences which Pittsburgh is wont to produce on such occasions. Indeed, so large was it that the spacious chapel of the edifice was filled to overflowing some time before the hour announced for the commencement of the entertainment, and by the time the overture had been performed, scarce standing room could be obtained in the halls, within ear-shot of the sweet sounds which were wafted out of the chapel, and reverberated through the corridors of the commodious and beautiful edifice.

A little before eight o'clock the performances began with a duet overture on the piano, by Misses M. Campbell and M. Renshaw. This was a piece entitled "Jubilee," composed by Weber, and the young ladies played it in a highly creditable manner. The second number on the programme, "We'll Meet Above," by Liebe, Miss L. Black, daughter of Dr. Black, President of the College, was announced to sing; but owing to the illness of the young lady, Miss M. McKnight took her place. The next number consisted of the "Slumber Song," by Schumann, and "Rondeau Capriccioso," by Mendelssohn, instrumental, rendered in fine style by Miss Kate Keller. Then the "Carnival of Venice," a beautiful vocal duet, by Misses M. and B. McKnight, was received with hearty applause. The fifth number was also a duet "Reverie Melodieuse" and "Postillion d' Amour," by Behr, rendered by Misses A. Paulson and V. Johnston, was a delight to those in attendance. "Ave Maria," by Schletterer, sung by a class of ten young ladies, closed part first.

The second part of the entertainment began with the duet "War March of Priests, from 'Athalia,'" by Mendelssohn, played in a very artistic manner by Misses V. Crossan and R. Hoblitzell. Perhaps the two gems of the evening, so far as single performances were concerned, were the second and third numbers in this part. The "Invitation a la Valse," by Weber, and played by Emma Logan, showed no small amount of musical talent, combined with evidences of very careful training. The other gem to which we refer was the "Song of the Bee, from La Reine Topaze," composed by Masse, and sung by Miss Vallie M. Johnston so sweetly, and in such an acceptable manner, as to receive the heartiest round of applause accorded to any of the performers. The audience would not be satisfied until the young lady re-appeared and sang, in her peculiarly fascinating style, "Coming thro' the Rye." An instrumental duet, arranged by E. Wolff from "Les Huguenots," and rendered by the Misses Logan and Keller, was followed in turn by a "Bridal Chorus from 'Lohengrin'," by Wagner, which was sung in an exceedingly acceptable manner by the singing class. But the entertainment, which had been full of good things—music of no mean order, vocal and instrumental, rendered alike creditable to the pupils and to the instructors, was not to be entirely devoid of novelty. And the novelty came with the last number on the programme. This was a symphony entitled "A Carnival's Lark," by M. Durst. The instruments introduced were such as, in some cases, to cause the eyes of the spectators to fly wide open with wonder. Miss Logan presided at the piano, Miss N. Barker sent forth dulcet notes from an instrument called the Cuckoo. Then there was a quartette of fair trumpeters, composed of Misses B. and M. McKnight, S. Frazier and M. Campbell. Miss B. Hogg officiated as drummer on the occasion, and Miss R. Hoblitzell played one of the daintiest of triangles that ever was seen, while Mr. C. C. Mellor, with his pan pipe, and Prof. J. Manning with his violin, completed the novel orchrestra. This medley, as it would seem, brought forth music which was anything but inharmonious.

Altogether the entertainment was highly enjoyable, and reflected very great credit upon the vocal and instrumental teachers, Miss Nicholson and Professor Christiana.

The institution, which is in its second year, is in a very prosperous condition. The directors have been very fortunate in securing the services of such an able superintendent of instruction as is the Rev. James Black, D. D., President of the institution, and they may also be congratulated upon the ability and learning which they have combined in the entire faculty. The institution is beautifully located, and in its furnishment and general outfit, as a "home school" for girls, has not a superior, probably, in the country.

The present school year will end in June, when another soiree is promised, and we sincerely trust we may again be numbered among the guests—if the feast is to compare at all favorably with that of last evening.

FALLING LEAVES.

Death's Record Yesterday.

The garnering of death from among our aged people seems to show no abatement in the activity of the "relentless reaper." Among the victims yesterday were two of the oldest citizens of Allegheny, whose hours of life were suddenly brought to a close. The first was Mrs. Catharine Netgar, who resided alone in a dwelling on Voegtly street, Fourth ward. She was about eighty-nine years of age, and for the past twenty years had been more or less an invalid, although her health seemed to be unusually good during the past winter. At an early hour yesterday morning she was seized with cramps, which rendered her unable to move or call for assistance. A short time after she had thus been taken sick a couple of neighbors called at the house, and being unable to gain admission, concluded there was something wrong, which induced them to break open the door, when she was found lying on the floor. A physician was sent for, but she was beyond the reach of medical aid, and in a few hours expired.

The deceased was a native of the department of Doubes, France, where she was born in 1783; in 1828 she came to this country and settled in Allegheny in 1830, where she resided ever since. She was the mother-in-law of Mr. Samuel H. Luty, from whose residence, No. 74 Western avenue, her funeral will take place to-day.

The other victim was Mr. John Henright who expired suddenly yesterday morning at his residence on Craig street, 1st ward, Allegheny. He was about fifty years of age, but enjoyed good health up to the day of his death. The physician who was called in, thought his demise was the result of an attack of appoplexy.

Birmingham Letter List—March 28, 1872.

Alexander J D	Evans W S	O'Connell M
Algeo Gregg	Evans John D	Ormsby O H Jr
Adams Wm	Gillmore Mrs E	Roberts E D
Brown Martha	Garland D W	Rorick Maggie
Black Geo	Hammond B	Rhodes Mary
Barclay James	Hamilton C W	Ramsay N P
Barr Wm H	Hoffman John	Rorback E S
Baker L V	Harkins Robt	Richardson John
Brown James	Harld Mary A	Smith E J
Breakiron Louis	Jones Mattie	Shook John
Barcroft Wm	Jones T G	Smith Lizzie
Brown Joseph	Jones James	Sole Christ
Carr Mary	Kelly John	Staly W J
Crawford Ella V	King Peter	Strauss F
Campbell Mrs M	King T B	Stegar Frank
Clarke John	Morgan Eliza	Seigfreid Amos
Campbell Saml	Moffit Wm	Thomas John J
Courecond M	Moor Robt	Thomas T D
Clause Henry	Murray Clinton	Trumpler Geo
Crouch Ida M	Morgan Watkin	Ward Sam
Donovan B C	Morgan M	Walsh Morris
Dowling M	Marshall & Nesbit	Wilson Robt
Davis John (carpenter)	Meyers Sam	Weaver Albert
Davis John	McKibben S J	Wilson Maggie
Davis T J	McVey Robt	Yost Henry
Evans Edward	McCormick T	Young Robt
Erll J R	McDonald Robt	
	O'Brien John	

PHILIP HOERR, P. M.

Where Are You Going

To buy your Carpets this spring? For the benefit of those who are in want of anything in the Carpet line we take pleasure in calling their attention to Messrs. Bovard, Rose & Co., No. 21 Fifth avenue. They have just opened one of the finest stocks of goods they have ever offered to the trade, embracing all grades and styles from the plainest to the famous "Dolly Varden." Their assortment of Foreign and Domestic Brussels embraces as fine styles as can be found in any market. In addition to their *new styles*, they have many of the leading old styles that are so frequently wanted by those who are moving and find their carpets deficient. Those needing goods in the above line will do well to call on Bovard, Rose & Co., No. 21 Fifth Avenue.

No Mistake About It.

It is always easy to make a statement, but sometimes very difficult to substantiate it. The production of unmistakable proof is what is needed. It is all very well to speak of the popularity of an article which may be offered for sale, but what is needed is unmistakable evidence. Figures alone can furnish this. It is customary with Sewing Machine Agents to indulge in lengthy eulogies of their machines, and glowing stories as to their general popularity. The Singer Machine does not do this. All it has to do is to remind the public that one-third of the machines sold in the country last year were of the Singer make.

Important Move.

The old established firm of John L. Dawes & Brother have removed their paint-shop to 102 Third avenue, where they will be glad to see their old customers and all others wanting house and sign painting. Mr. Guy L. Smithson, well-known as one of the best sign writers in the country, is now connected with this house, and with the combined talent of G. L. S. and Master John L. Dawes, Jr., those wanting signs of any description can be suited.

Those wishing to see the largest glass sign on this continent can do so at their establishment, 102 Third avenue, two houses below Wood street. MWF.

Jno. Biggert & Son,

Agents of the WEED FAMILY FAVORITE Sewing Machine, request every one in search of a machine, filling every requirement, to call at 116 Market street, and examine the Weed. *Do not be persuaded to buy any machine until you have first examined the Weed.* If we cannot convince you that it is the one you want, of course you need not buy it, and we shall always find pleasure in showing our goods whether we sell or not, we shall esteem it a favor to have you call on us. tf.

Spring 1872.

In counting necessary purchases for the season, do not forget a Weed Family Favorite Sewing Machine. 116 Market street. tf.

THE COURTS.

Yesterday's Proceedings.

CRIMINAL COURT—JUDGE STOWE.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. James O'Neal was, on motion of the District Attorney, allowed to be settled on payment of costs by the defendant. J. V. Duncan was prosecutor.

William J. Lowrie, charged with disturbing religious worship at Jefferson Chapel, in Jefferson Tp., on Sunday, Dec. 17, John Woodford prosecutor, entered a plea of *nollo contendere*. He was sentenced to pay a fine of one dollar and costs.

George Hober and Gotleib Pfeil, indicted for cruelty to animals, entered pleas of *nollo contendere*. The defendants were charged with having had in their possession two mules which they neglected to feed, and left them in a starving condition.

Wooly Oiler, indicted for burglariously entering the Store of Joseph Sulzner on Penn street, was placed on trial. The jury found a verdict of not guilty.

Robert A. Robinson was tried on an indictment for felonious assault and battery. The defendant it will be remembered, entered the store of Pittock & Co., and attempted to shoot Mr. J. W. Pittock. The jury found a verdict of not guilty by reason of insanity.

Jerry Holland, residing on Virgin alley was tried on a charge of selling liquor without license. The jury found a verdict of guilty.

John Moore, Nathan Gibbin and John Stark were tried on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by Jerry Holland. The defendants who are all members of Mayor Blackmore's police force were charged with forcibly entering the house of the prosecutor in Virgin alley and arresting him and his wife and child. On trial.

Trial List for Saturday.

Commonwealth vs.

Silas D. Davis,	Bridget Sherlock,
Wm. Kelly,	John Borde,
W. Shafer,	Henry Long,
Robert Neilly,	Oregon Lysle,
Joseph Handlen.	

COMMON PLEAS—JUDGES STERRETT AND COLLIER.

The cases of Bartons vs. Black and Scott are still on trial before Judge Sterrett.

In the case of Miller et al. vs. McCloskey, reported on trial before Judge Collier, the jury found for plaintiffs for $1,090.

Sterling Bonsall vs. Keys Bros. & Co., was the next case taken up. This was an action on an oil contract. The case was compromised.

[There will be no session of this Court to-day—Good Friday being a legal holiday.

DISTRICT COURT—JUDGE KIRKPATRICK.

The case of O'Hara vs Pennsylvania Railroad Company, went to the jury but there was no verdict at adjournment.

Dravo's vs Milliken. This was an action of ejectment for a piece of ground. The jury returned a verdict for plaintiff's for six cents damages and costs, to be relieved on payment by Jamuel Milliken to the plaintiff's of the balance due in the purchase of the ground described in the writ, which balance the jury found to be $1,700 and the jury direct the same to be paid within sixty days after this date upon the filing or delivery of a quit claim deed from the plaintiff's M. Dravo, Jno. F. Dravo, Wm. Vankirk to the said Samuel Milliken his heirs and assigns for said lot and premises.

Notwithstanding the fact of to-day being Good Friday and a legal holiday, the Court decided to continue business as usual and set the following cases for trial:

Trial List for To-day.

118. Borough of Sharpsburgh vs Lewis, Bailey, Dalzell & Co.
198. Schad vs Meyers.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—JUDGE M'CANDLESS

Merchants Bank of Canada vs. T. H. B. Maddocks of Lawrence county. This was an argument in a bankruptcy case. The Bank filed a petition against Maddock's in bankruptcy.

The debtor filed an answer denying that any act of bankruptcy had been committed, and alleged that the note upon which the petition had been based was made and given in Stratford Canada, and as payable to the Merchant's Bank of that place; which was out of and beyond the jurisdiction of the United States of America and beyond the jurisdiction of the courts thereof. A rule was then granted on the debtor to show cause why he should not be adjudicated a bankrupt for want of sufficient answer. It was on this motion that the argument was heard. The decision of the court was not announced.

Equalization of assessments is the matter that is now engaging general attention throughout the city; but it is a disputed point which does not trouble those who purchase the clothing ready-made or custom made at Urling, Follansbee & Co.'s, southwest corner of Wood street and Fifth avenue. All the patrons of this firm are satisfied of the "equalization of assessments" put upon their goods, and the excellence of everything that is turned out from the establishment.

"The Pen is Mightier than the Sword."—DeHann & Co.'s Patent Aluminian Pen is pronounced by all Bankers and Business men of Pittsburgh and all through the United States to be a more lasting and better writing pen than any steel pens manufactured. Beware of imitation. General office 49 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

All that is Wanting

To secure comfort and convenience in doing your spring sewing, is to get a WEED Sewing Machine—116 Market street. tf.

Pyle's O. K. Soap is the best family soap in use. Ladies who once become accustomed to the O. K. Soap will never use any other. tf.

MELANGE.

SHERMAN has interviewed the Pope. We are not informed whether he kissed the Pope's toe, but they say he kissed Harriet Beecher Stowe once.

THE artist Bierstadt has been decorated with the Cross of the Order of St. Stanislaus, by the Emperor of Russia.

THE funeral services of the late Lyman Beecher were conducted by the Rev. Edward E. Hale, at the Commonwealth Hotel, Boston, Thursday afternoon.

HERR STRAUSS, of Vienna, the famous composer of dance music, has accepted an invitation to assist at the World's Peace Jubilee to be held in Boston in June.

THE Pennsylvania railroad has a magnificent new official building in Philadelphia. It is one hundred feet by one hundred and ninety, built of Quincey granite, fronting on Fourth street. It is four stories high, and is most elegantly and substantially finished throughout.

PHILADELPHIANS complain that the poisoning of the Schuylkill River by the refuse from slaughter-houses and gas-works is the next thing to cold-blooded murder, inasmuch as its cool killing. An odious comparison is made by a Quaker of Irish decent, who assures his loving brethern that the only way to clear the water of filth is to use a filther.

JOHN PHOENIX'S government exploration party, the extravagant outfit of which he describes with such exquisite humor, had its counterpart in real life in the battalion of troops raised by the Governor of Montana to fight the Indians in 1867. The government is asked to pay the expenses of this little army, and the Inspector-General has examined the items of the account. Among the articles purchased for the use of the troops were tobacco, at $3 50 a pound, tea, $4 50 a pound, dried apples and peaches, fifty cents a pound, buffalo robes, $25, and whisky, at $16 a gallon. The rations of the men cost them considerably more than if the entire party had boarded at the Fifth Avenue Hotel or the St. Nicholas: $4 50 being charged for each man per day—and this, be it understood, not including room, gas or attendance. Indeed, the horses might have boarded at hotels in New York. The cost of their food was for each $3 a day. The cost of clothing for each man was $207, besides his buffalo robe. As the term of service was from one to six months, only one suit was necessary on the average to each man. Allowing $100 for clothing actually needed, the remainder, $107, was probably spent in dress-suits, embroidered shirts and Prince Teck neckties. John Phoenix tells us, of his exploration party, that by a curious mistake diamond pins and gold watch-chains were purchased for each man, instead of surveyors' "chains and pins." The Montana officials apparently made a series of similar blunders.

The Mysterious Abdication.

The literary sensation of the hour in Germany is a revelation regarding the "mysterious abdication" of Ferdinand the Fifth in Austria, during the revolutionary troubles of 1848. Baron Helfert, who seems to have been in the secret, now gives it to the world in his recent history of Austria, and it seems to have been a mystery from the very beginning. The Emperor had fled from Vienna to Olmutz to avoid the dangers of the rebellion. Early one morning a mysterious excitement pervaded the old town. Ladies and Gentlemen were hastening, on foot and in carriages, to the Archbishop's palace; mounted orderlies were flying hither and thither, and troops of every grade were hastening to a common rendezvous. It was soon discovered that nearly all the members of the Imperial household had arrived in the night, and that the ministers and all the high officers of State were present. No one could divine the cause of this unusual activity—neither the actors nor the spectators. The most influential men of the realm simply knew that they were ordered to assemble in gala dress in the place at Olmutz, a little after daylight of a December morning. The company represented nearly every department of the government, in all varieties of dress, even to the priestly robes of the high officials of the Church. Anxiety and consternation were on every countenance. Even the Archduke Ferdinand approached the master of ceremonies, begging to know why they were thus mysteriously called together at so unseasonable an hour. His only answer was, that his lips were sealed until events should tell their own story. And thus the fairest princesses of the Imperial Court were kept in the agony of suspense.

The incubus on the company was shown by the ominous silence or painful whispers, and the waiting minutes seemed to be hours. At last, at eight o'clock, the folding-doors were thrown open, and their majesties, the Emperor and Empress, accompanied by the Archdukes Francis Charles and the present Emperor, Francis Joseph, solemnly entered and took the seats assigned to them. A breathless suspense controlled the assemblage as the Emperor arose, and taking a document from his breast, read as follows: "Weighty reasons have brought me to the irrevocable determination to lay down the imperial crown, which I do in favor of my beloved nephew; his father, my dear brother, renouncing all his rights to the throne in favor of his cherished son.'.

The Emperor then bade the Minister of State lay before him the necessary documents for signature and ratification by witnesses, after which the youthful successor approached his uncle and knelt before him, in such a state of mental agitation that he could not command his words of gratitude. The abdicating monarch bent over him with his benediction, and then embracing him, uttered the only free words heard during the entire scene: "God bless thee; be honest and God will protect thee. I have acted freely and willingly." Women burst into violent tears, and the eyes of strong men became fountains of tears.—*Scribner's for April.*

OHIO.

TIFFIN has postponed the water works over for one year in order to have fuller light.

MR. HULL, late of the Youngstown *Register*, has purchased the New Lisbon *Buckeye State*.

MR. GEORGE DUGENT was killed, last week, near Loudonville, while assisting in raising a building.

THERE have been 9,871 different persons imprisoned in the Ohio Penitentiary since it was established.

IT is announced that Major E. S. Dodd, of Toledo, has become one of the proprietors of the *Ohio Statesman*.

THE Sandusky *Register* says twenty thousand dollars have been paid out of that city for skunk skins in thirty days.

NEW PHILADELPHIA is to have gas works. The papers for the incorporation of the company are now on file at Columbus.

THE Sandusky people are taking active measures to raise the requisite sum of money to grade the road between Fremont and that city.

MR. JOSEPH MCINTYRE, of Troy township, Richland county, died on the 15th inst., aged 78. He was one of the first settlers of the township.

FIVE hundred and twenty-three citizens of Coshocton county have petitioned the Legislature to remove their county seat from Coshocton to Warsaw.

HEAVY FRESHETS are predicted by the oldest inhabitant for this spring. He says we have had them in the spring of 1822, 1832, 1852, 1862. Now for 1872!

A WEALTHY CITIZEN of Cleveland proposes to give, on certain conditions, $150,000 to aid "liberal Christianity" in establishing a Unitarian church and parsonage in that city.

EASTERN Ohio already has ten State officers, and now presents two candidates to the Republican Convention for Secretary of State and two for the Board of Public Works.

THE liquor dealers of Columbus are having quite a "crisis." The *Statesman* says that eight or ten of the largest dealers have gone out of the business and a large number of smaller ones have closed up. They are afraid of prosecution.

ON SUNDAY, while young Daytonians were returning home from hunting, one of them fell down, and accidentally discharging his gun, the load entered the side of his companion, Jacob Kinnard, inflicting a wound which it is supposed will prove fatal.

A MADISON CENTER correspondent of the Bryan *Press* says that many of the farmers in that locality are selling their sheep to speculators, who are driving them out of the county. They would do well to post themselves on the eastern wool markets before making further sales.

LAST week, Judge Anderson, of Belmont county, issued a marriage license for John Brandon, twenty-eighth son of Charles Brandon, there being five still younger than he. The father of these thirty-three children formerly lived in Bellaire, and has been dead only a few years. He had three wives.

THE editor of the Cincinnati *Commercial* lately published the following announcement in his paper: "To save our readers trouble, and to relieve two unfortunates, we shall send to each of our debtors, in the course of a few days, two collectors, one of whom has hardly recovered from the small-pox, and the other of whom has just taken the itch."

SECRETARY KLIPPART, of the State Fair, gives his cheerful testimony that the "Mechanical Exhibition" at Stettin, in Prussia, the Mechanical and Floral Exposition at Cologne, and the Industrial Exposition at Dublin, in Ireland—all of which he attended in 1867—did not compare in variety, utility, and in many respects in beauty, with the Cincinnati Exposition of 1871.

TWENTY-THREE cheese factories in Medina county, Ohio, received during the past season the milk from 8,500 cows, and made 3,223,401 lbs. of cheese. There were estimated to be 600 cows in private dairies producing 200,000 lbs. of cheese, making the aggregate product of the county 3,423,401 lbs. The total value of the cows is estimated at $318,500; of the cheese, $300,000, and of the factories $60,000.

THE Mansfield *Herald* says: On Wednesday last, Mrs. Jabez Cook, one of our pioneer ladies, died in this city, aged 77 years and 3 months. She was born in New Jersey, her maiden name being Hannah Pierson; was married to Mr. Jabez Cook in Washington county, Pa., March 2d, 1815, and came to Richland county, Ohio, on the 15th of September of the same year, settling on the farm two miles southwest of Mansfield, which was then an unbroken forest, where she and her devoted husband resided for forty years, making it, by untiring labors and fine taste, the premium farm of the county, and rearing an intellectual family of three sons and daughters, all of whom are yet living.

PENNSYLVANIA.

THE stock in the bridge to be built across the Allegheny at Tidioute is all taken and the structure will be commenced as soon as the weather will permit.

REV. ELIAS J. RICHARDS, D.D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Reading, for the past twenty-six years, died at his residence in that city, on Monday evening.

MR. WM. N. ALLEN, for some years past engaged on the Reading Railroad as a civil engineer, having his office in Pottstown, has been appointed to survey and build a lateral railroad for the Cambria Iron Company, at Johnstown, Pa. The new road will be about twenty miles in length.

A CONVENTION of the National Labor Reform party has been called to meet at Williamsport, Pa., on the 6th of May next, to nominate candidates for Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, and (should the Legislature so determine) for Auditor General, and Delegates at large to the Constitutional Convention, and also to form an electoral ticket.

MRS. BAKER, widow of John Baker, deceased, died at the residence of her son, Reuben Baker, in Douglass township, Berks county, on Saturday last, aged about eighty years. Mrs. Baker was a remarkable woman in many respects, having been the mother of nineteen children and had enjoyed almost uninterrupted health up to within a few weeks since, when she was stricken down with paralysis.

UPON the arrival in Mobile the other night of the train on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, a man, giving his name as Andrew J. Simpson, was brought to the guard-house with his throat badly cut, the gash extending almost from ear to ear. It appears that while on the train he attempted to commit suicide, using a knife for that purpose. He seemed determined to carry out his purpose, but was prevented from putting a finishing stroke to himself by a number of passengers, who interfered and prevented him from so doing. The man, who was evidently crazy, said that he was pursued by a number of persons, who wanted to lynch him because he had killed a man up the country and taken $250 from him, and he thought it best to save them the trouble and kill himself, but "unfortunately his knife was too small and dull." He admits killing the man, but denies taking any money from him. It is probable that the wound inflicted will prove fatal.

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DIED:

THEOPHILUS—On Wednesday night, March 27, 1872, at ten minutes of 11, CLARA J. SPANGLER, wife of Richard Theophilus, in the 24th year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Spangler, 240 Arch street, Allegheny, TO-DAY at 2½ o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited.

ENRIGHT—March 27, at 5½ o'clock, A. M., JOHN ENRIGHT, in the 58th year of his age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 33 Craig street, Allegheny city, THIS afternoon, the 29th, at 2 o'clock.

McCORMICK—March 27, KATE EMMA, only daughter of Charles M. and Emma H. McCormick.

Funeral THIS MORNING at 10 ½ o'clock, from residence of parents, No. 18 Hemlock street, Allegheny. aged 9 months and 24 days.

McCONNELL—On THURSDAY evening, at his residence, No. 11 Carlisle alley, Allegheny, Mr. WM. McCONNELL, in the 60th year of his age.

Funeral on Saturday at at 10½ o'clock from his late residence. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HAMMETT—On Tuesday morning, March 26th, 1872, at 2 o'clock, of hemorrhage, EDGAR G. HAMMETT, of the firm of Hallman & Hammett, in the 28th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his father-in-law, Capt. Alex. Hay, No. 55 First avenue, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited.

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THE RIVERS.

River Report.

WAR DEPARTMENT, *Signal Service U. S. Army, Division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce:*

MARCH, 27th, 1872, 4:23 P. M.

Rise and fall in last twenty-four hours.

STATIONS.	RISE. Feet.	RISE. In's.	FALL. Feet.	FALL. In's.
Cairo	0	0	0	4
Cincinnati	0	0	0	6
Louisville	0	0	0	4
Memphis	0	0	0	6
Nashville	0	10	0	0
New Orleans	0	2	0	0
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0
Shreveport	0	0	0	2
St. Louis	0	4	0	0
Vicksburg	0	3	0	0
Davenport	0	16	0	0

CINCINNATI, March 28.—River nine feet four inches; falling. Arrived—Jno. H. Groesbeck, New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—Arrived—Thompson Dean, St. Louis; Jno. Howard, Arkansas River. Departed—Susie Silver, St. Louis; Belle Lee, Cairo; Mary E. Forsythe, 1 last night, St. Louis.

VICKSBURG, March 28.—Down—Alice Dean, last night. Boats down to-day—Shannon, 9 A. M; Mollie Moore, 10 A. M; Continental, 11 A. M; Henry Ames, 4 P. M. Up—Julia, 12 last night. Boats up to-day—Jno. Kyle 1 P. M; Richmond, 6 P. M. Mild. River rising.

LOUISVILLE, March 28.—River falling; five feet six inches in canal; three feet six inches in chute. Southern freights in excess of tonnage. Slightly cloudy and mild. Arrived—Bermuda, Evansville; Emma C. Elliott, Memphis; John H. Groesbeck, New Orleans; Sam J. Hale, Cincinnati. Departed—John H. Groesbeck and Emma C. Elliott, Cincinnati; Mary Houston, New Orleans; Batesville, White River; Sam J. Hale, Memphis. The tug W. Jones left for Cincinnati with the wrecking boat Spray.

CAIRO, March 28.—Arrived—James Howard, St. Louis, 1 P. M.; St. Joseph, Memphis, 1; City of Cairo, St. Louis, 3; Tom Reese, St. Louis, 6; Grand Tower, St Louis, 6. Departed—St. Joseph, St. Louis, 6 P. M.; Tom Reese, Pittsburgh, 7 P. M. River fallen 4 inches. Clear and pleasant; thermometer 56.

LITTLE ROCK, March 28.—Clear and pleasant. River stationary. Arrived—Mary Boyd, Memphis; Armadillo, Cincinnati. Departed—Dardenelle, above.

ST. LOUIS, March 28.—Arrived—Tom Jasper, New Orleans; Belle Memphis, Memphis; Rob Roy, Keokuk; J. W. Garrett, Ohio River; Belle St. Louis, Vicksburg. Departed—Florence, Island No. 80; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg; St. Luke and Alice, Wyandotte; Rob Roy, Keokuk; Bertha, Illinois river; Pauline Carroll, New Orleans. River rising slowly. Weather clear and warm.

NASHVILLE, March 28.—The river commenced rising again last night, and there are now 6½ feet on Harpeth Shoals. Weather fair and moderate. Arrived—Talisman, Cairo; R. W. Skillinger and Ada Heilman, Cincinnati. Departed—R. W. Skillinger, Cincinnati.

EVANSVILLE, March 28.—Weather clear and warm; mercury 36 to 60. River fallen one foot. Down—Nick Longworth, 2 A. M.; Pink Varble, 6; Evansville, 12; Mary Ament, 12:30 P. M.; Potomac, 3; Tarascon, 3; R. H. Hunt, Arlington, 6. Up—Dick Johnson, 7; Fayette, 9; Cowan and barges, 12; Quickstep, 5; Dick Johnson 7—all well loaded. Business active; shipments large.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS.

Cotton Market.

GALVESTON, March 28.—Cotton firmer; good ordinary 20¼c; net receipts 211 bales; sales 900; stock 34,955.

SAVANNAH, March 28.—Cotton in good demand; holders firm; middlings 21¾@21⅞c; net receipts 618 bales; exports coastwise 2,691; sales 700; continent 200; stock 45,831.

MOBILE, March 28.—Cotton firm; middlings 22@22⅜c; net receipts 43 bales; sales 1,500; stock 30,979.

CHARLESTON, March 28.—Cotton strong and firm; middlings 22c; net receipts 442 bales; sales 500; stock 20,393.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—Flour: low grades higher, super $6.50; double $7.25; treble $8. Molasses in good demand; fair fermenting 40c; prime fermenting 45c; good re-boiling 30c; strictly prime not fermenting 55c. Sugar firmer; inferior 6½c; common 7¾c; good common 8¼c; good fair 8¾c; all others unchanged. Cotton active and firmer; sales of 12,000 bales; good ordinary 21c; low middlings 21¾c; middlings 22⅜c. Receipts, gross 1,970 bales. Exports: Liverpool, 7,986; Continent ,3,560; stock 151,178.

Live Stock.

BALTIMORE, March 28.—Cattle opened with some little animation but closed dull at ⅛@¼c lower; very best on sale to-day sold at 6@7⅝c; that generally rated at first quality 5¼@6c; medium to fair quality 4@5¼c; sales 461; receipts 977. Hogs: a full supply with only a moderate demand; declined about ¼c; sales at 6¼@7c; receipts 9,640. Sheep in light supply and good demand at ¼c higher; sales at 6½@9½c; receipts.

Lake Superior Gold Discoveries.

A letter from Captain Frue, dated at the Silver Islet Mine, February 19, represents that great excitement then existed in consequence of the gold discoveries in that vicinity. The place at which gold has been found is called Jackfish lake, and is about seventy-five miles north of Thunder bay, not far from the road constructed by the Canadian Government in 1870, when sending troops to Manitaba. Captain Frue had just returned from a personal inspection of the vein, and reports it to be of the greatest richness, far surpassing any similar discovery on this continent. The vein is of almost pure native gold, though silver is found mixed with it in some places. Specimens which Captain Frue picked up he said would yield gold at the rate of $20,000 to the ton. The location was owned and the gold discovered by some New York parties. A recent letter from Lake Superior received by a business man in that city, represents that the greatest excitement was prevailing on account of the reports from the North Shore. All the surveyors who could be found had been engaged to proceed to the vicinity of Jackfish lake, and prospecting for gold and silver was likely to become the chief occupation of the inhabitants.—*Detroit Post.*

Railroad Building in the Carolinas.

The Statesville (N. C.) *American* says: Since the war, there was built and rebuilt nearly 200 miles of railroads in North and South Carolina without any State aid from either, among a poor, destitute people—much of the country along the line having been laid in utter ruin by Sherman's army, and almost in a state of revolution, without confidence, pecuniary means, or credit in it. To rebuild about fifty miles of the Charlotte and South Carolina Railroad, its shops and bridges, with all its war debts, hanging upon him, we learn that Colonel Johnson only had about seventy-three bales of cotton. When the war closed, $15,000 worth of grading only had been done on the Columbia and Augusta Railroad—the company saving out of the wreck about 1,000 bales of cotton. In the fall of 1866 the stockholders requested him to go on and build the road. In 1870, the road was finished, and is eighty-five miles long. The Congaree and Savanah bridges alone cost over $200,000 in the aggregate—more than the proceeds of the sales of the cotton and all other means of the company in hand when he began the work, while the road cost over $2,000,000.

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POLITICAL.

REPUBLICAN

County Convention.

THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY are requested to meet at the usual places for holding Primary Elections in the several Wards, Boroughs and Townships, on

SATURDAY, March 30th, 1872,

in the Cities and Boroughs, between 4 and 7 o'clock, P. M., and in the Townships between 4 and 6 o'clock, P. M., and elect one delegate from each election district to attend a

COUNTY CONVENTION,

to be held at the COURT HOUSE on

TUESDAY, April 2d, 1872,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of electing ten delegates to represent the County in the STATE CONVENTION, which is to assemble at Harrisburg on the 10th of April next.

The Primary Election shall be held, as far as practicable, by the Republican Members of the Election Boards in the different districts; and, where the Republican voters are a minority of the regular Board, the voters present are authorized to elect enough additional Republicans to complete the Board.

The Executive Committee have unanimously recommended that the above delegates to the State Convention shall be chosen as follows: Three Senatorial Delegates—one from between the rivers, one from south of the rivers and one from north of the rivers; and seven Representative Delegates—two from the city of Pittsburgh, two from Allegheny City, one from the north of the rivers and two from the south of the rivers.

By order of the Republican County Executive Committee.

H. W. OLIVER, JR., Chairman.

HENRY M. LONG, THOS. H. PHELPS, } Secretaries.
PITTSBURGH, March 22, 1872. mh22-d&F

HEADQUARTERS
REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE
OF PENNSYLVANIA, PHILADELPHIA,
February 5th, 1872.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE RESOLUTION of the REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, adopted at Harrisburg, January 18th, 1872, a REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION, composed of Delegates from each Senatorial and Representative District, in the number to which such District is entitled in the Legislature, will meet in the Hall of the House of Representatives, at Harrisburg, at 12 o'clock, noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1872, to nominate candidates for Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, Auditor General (should the Legislature provide for the choice of one by the people), and an Electoral Ticket; and also to elect Senatorial and Representative Delegates to represent this State in the REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION, to be held in Philadelphia, June 5, 1872. RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.

WM. ELLIOTT, D. F. HOUSTON, EZRA LUKENS, P. M. LYTLE, } Secretaries.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA AND CHARLESTON RAILWAY CO., No. 61 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

SEALED PROPOSALS, ADDRESSED to the undersigned, will be received until April 8, 1872, for the

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J. M. BYERS,
CHIEF ENGINEER.
MARCH, 28, 1872. mh28-n99

Notice to Bridge Builders.

ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
PITTSBURGH AND CASTLE SHANNON R. R. CO.,
No. 75 Fourth avenue,
PITTSBURGH, PA., March 14th, 1872.

Bridge Builders are invited to make proposals for Building a WOODEN BRIDGE. Plans can be seen by calling on MILTON D. HAYS, Esq., President of the Company, at 9 A. M., daily, at the Birmingham office, or at this office.

ISAAC J. MACKINLEY,
mh14:n18 Chief Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, March 22, 1872.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M., on TUESDAY, April 2nd, 1872, for the construction of a Stone Sewer on Thirty-third street, from Allegheny river to Penn avenue, to be of Freeport or Baden quality. Also a three feet Brick Sewer on Grant street, from Fifth avenue to Strawberry alley. Specifications can be seen, and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received unless made upon blanks furnished by this office.

The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
WM. MARTIN,
mh22:n36 Assistant City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, March 21, 1872.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until 3 P. M. on SATURDAY, March 30th, 1872, for the Grading of Denniston avenue, from Penn avenue to Fifth avenue.

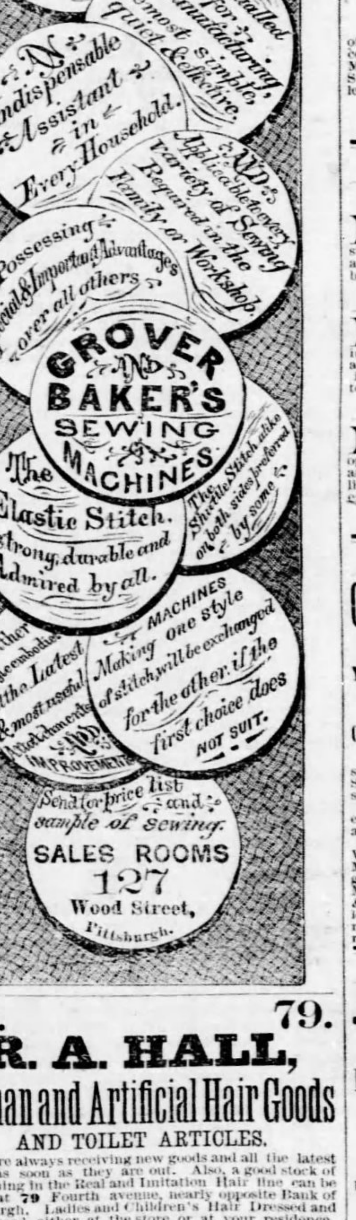
Specifications can be seen and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received unless made upon blanks furnished by this office.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
WM. MARTIN,
mh21 Assistant City Engineer.

SEALED PROPOSALS.—FOR BUILDING a house for the janitor of the Colfax School Building. For plans and specifications call on L. J. FLEMING, Twenty-second ward.

The School Board reserve the right to reject any or all proposals.

All proposals must be presented before the sixth of April. mh28:n98



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FOR SALE.

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Also, a block of lots on North side of Jackson street. Also, a very fine lot on North side of Gallagher street, 101x168 feet, planted in choice fruits. Also, 2 lots on Union avenue and Pleasant Valley Railway new car house, and 1 lot in rear of the same fronting on New Brighton Road, each 24x99 feet.

Now that this section is opened to the public for building, a fine opportunity is presented for improvement and advantageous investment. For terms, plans and full particulars, apply to

A. LEGGATE,
Auctioneer,
mh19:n11 159 FEDERAL STREET.

Orphans' Court Sale of Desirable Fifth Avenue Property.

That valuable property, 24 feet front, on Fifth avenue, near new market house, by 120 feet deep to an alley, with two dwellings erected thereon, *a sure investment*. Also, 2 excellent building lots, 42 feet front, on Locust street, Sixth ward, Pittsburgh, by 120 feet deep to an alley between Van Braam and Miltenberger streets. Will be sold on SATURDAY, March 30, 1872, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, the same being property of the Estate of JOHN FLINN, deceased. Title indisputable. For terms, &c., see hand bills.

For further particulars inquire of
JOHN O'KEEFE,
Administrator of John Flinn, dec'd,
No. 50 Congress street,
or JOHN BARTON, Attorney-at-Law,
Cor Fifth avenue and Grant street.
WM. RIDDELL, Auctioneer. mh27

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—The undersigned, by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, will expose to public sale at the Court House, on TUESDAY, 2d day of April, 1872, the following described valuable real estate: First: the property known as "Belmont," containing 65 acres, with a large brick Mansion thereon erected, with all the necessary outbuildings; beautifully situated, and adjoining Ebensburg borough. It has been devoted for the past year to the purposes of a Summer Resort. Second: A square of ground immediately in front of the above described real estate; set out with fruit bearing trees. A very desirable building location. Sale begins at 2 o'clock, P. M. Terms, one-third on confirmation of sale, and balance in two equal annual installments, with interest, to be secured by the bonds and mortgage of the purchaser.

MARY SHOEMAKER,
ELLEN S. MURRAY,
Exr's of E. Shoemaker, Ebensburg, Pa.
MARCH 12, 1872. mh27

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE SOLD ON Saturday, April 6, 1872, at auction on the premises, the following property, to wit: The school house and lot, at Hazlewood, Twenty-third ward. The house has two rooms and the lot is 60 by 200 feet. Sale to commence at 2 P. M. Terms cash.

By order of the Board,
mh23-n61 WM. ALEXANDER, President.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

DISSOLUTION.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between JOHN AGNEW, L. WILCOX and I. C. AGNEW, under the firm name of AGNEWS & WILCOX, has been dissolved by agreement. The business will be settled at the office, 13 WOOD STREET.
PITTSBURGH, March 20th, 1872. mh21:n52

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—THE UNDERSIGNED, having purchased the interest of Hays & Stewart, do associate themselves under the style of JAMES CALLERY & CO., who will continue to carry on the TANNING, CURRYING and LEATHER BUSINESS in all its branches, at the Tannery, situated in the Eighth ward, Allegheny City. Also, at the Store, 102 Liberty street, near Ferry street.
JAMES CALLERY & CO.

In retiring from the Tanning and Leather business, we would respectfully solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage, heretofore extended, to our successors, JAMES CALLERY & CO., who always have a full assortment of Leather on hand.
HAYS & STEWART,
PITTSBURGH, April 1, 1871. ap25-p86

NOTICE.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing betw en William Miller, William Bruff, John M. Thorp and Jerome S. Bonnett, under the firm name of William Miller & Co., has been dissolved by the death of William Miller.

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of the Wholesale Grocery and Liquor Business, lately conducted by William Miller & Co., and formerly by Miller & Ricketson, at No. 221 and 223 Liberty Street, Pittsburgh. Apply upon the premises, or by letter to

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mh1:l76 227 South Fourth street, Philadelphia.

ASSESSMENTS.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, PITTSBURGH, March 23, 1872.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR the Grading of BOYD STREET from Forbes street to Locust street, are now ready for examination and will remain in this office ten days, when they will be returned to the City Treasurer for collection.
WM. MARTIN,
mh23 Assistant City Engineer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the opening of Shady Lane are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof, liens will be filed for the unpaid assessments with interest, cost and fees.
J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, March 27th, 1872. mh27

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the viewers on the opening of Elm street are now in my hands for collection and if not paid within thirty days from the date hereof, liens will be filed for the unpaid assesments with interest, cost and fees.
J. F. SLAGLE, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, March 27th, 1872. mh27

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CHARLES H. ARMSTRONG,
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OFFICE AND YARD, corner Butler and Morton streets, Liberty and Clymer streets, Ninth ward, also, Second street, Eighth ward, and at the foot of Ross street, P. & C. R. R. Depot, Second ward.

Orders left at either of the above offices, or addressed to me through Pittsburgh P. O., will receive prompt attention.

Refer to whom I am supplying: Hussey, Wells & Co., Wm. Smith, Union Iron Mills, S. S. Fowler & Co., Mitchell, Stevenson & Co., Bissell & Co., Graff & Hugus, Alexander Bradley, Park, Bro. & Co., Park, McCurdy & Co., Reese, Graff & Dull, Wm. M. Faber & Co., J. B. Lyon & Co., James Marshall & Co., Allen, McKee & Co., Union Depot Hotel, Connellsville railroad, Pennsylvania railroad, Allegheny Valley railroad.

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CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE, New City Hall, Smithfield street, PITTSBURGH, February 1st, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL OWNERS (whether resident or non-resident in the City of Pittsburgh), of

Drays, Carts, Carriages, Buggies, &c.,
TO PAY THEIR LICENSES
At this Office Forthwith.

All Licenses not paid on or before the FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1872, will be placed in the hands of a Police Officer for collection, subject to a collection fee of 50 cents; and all persons neglecting to pay on or before the FIRST MONDAY IN MAY will be subject to a penalty double the amount of the Licenses, to be recovered before the Mayor or any Alderman of said city.

The old metal plates of last year must be returned at the time Licenses are taken out, or twenty-five cents additional will be charged on each License.

RATES OF LICENSES.

Each one horse vehicle	$ 7 50
Each two horse vehicle	12 00
Each four horse vehicle	15 00
Each two horse hack	15 00
Omnibus and Timber Wheels drawn by two horses	18 00

One dollar extra will be charged for each additional horse used in any of the above specified vehicles.
fe1:k60 C. L. MAGEE, City Treasurer.

In Store and for Sale.

25 Barrels Rectified Cider,
6 Barrels Dried Apples,
6 Barrels Chestnuts,
25 Barrels Green Apples,
3 Barrels Pickles,
10 Half Barrels Pickles,
J. B. HOLLEY,
mh23:n34 13 Smithfield Street.

NOTICE.

FREDERICK ALTVATER, RAILROAD CONTRACTOR, is prepared to do all kinds of Masonry, Cellar and Railroad Masonry, &c., on short notice and with dispatch. Letters addressed to 130 hird street, Allegheny City, will meet prompt attention. mh6-m27

AMUSEMENTS.

AMUSEMENT ADVERTISING RATES.

The following is the rate charged for advertisements under the head of "Amusements" in this column.

1 Square 1 time	75c	1 Square 7 times	$4 66
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1 Square 6 times	4 00	1 Square 12 times	8 00

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GRAND COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT
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THIS EVENING will be presented Sheridan Knowles' beautiful play, in five acts, entitled the
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ARRIVED AT LAST,
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MONDAY EVENING, March 25, and until further notice,
Buffalo Bill,
THE GREAT BORDER DRAMA.
SECURE SEATS AT ONCE.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
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The management would respectfully announce the inauguration of the
SPRING SEASON
at this beautiful Temple of Amusement on MONDAY EVENING, April 1, with the Eminent Young Comedian,
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RIP VAN WINKLE:
Or, Sleep of Twenty Years.

The piece will be produced with entirely New and Beautiful Scenery by Mr. H. E. Hoyt. Music and Effects, and cast to the full strength of the Talented Company now engaged at the Fifth Avenue Opera House. First-class Stars have been engaged, and the latest novelties will be produced in rapid succession. Box Sheet will be open at the Academy on FRIDAY, March 29, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. mh27

REAPPEARANCE
FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY
Of the world's Greatest Tragedienne,
Charlotte Cushman,
on EASTER MONDAY, April 1st, when she will render selections from Shakspeare's play of
HENRY III.,
and recite miscellaneous poems.

Doors open at 7, to commence at 8 o'clock. Admission, $1.00; Reserved Seats 50 cents extra. For sale at the Music Store of KLEBER BROS., 122 Wood street, where programmes of the entertainment can be obtained.

LIBERTY HALL.
Haymakers in Costume, and other selections, will be given at Liberty Hall, East Liberty, under the direction of Miss ERNEST, on
TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 2D,
Admission 50 cents. Reserved Seats 25 cents extra. To be obtained at H. Kleber's on Wood street and McClarran's Drug Store, East Liberty. mh28-o9

LIBRARY HALL BUILDING.
Pittsburgh Academy of Art and Design.
SPRING EXHIBITION, 1872.
OPEN FROM 9 A. M. TO 10 P. M.
Admission, 25c.; Children under 12, 15c, Special rates for Schools. mh12

INSURANCE.

INVESTMENTS.
ARMENIA INSURANCE CO.,
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Capital Stock, $500,000.

Books of subscription are now open at the office of the Company, 64 FOURTH AVENUE, where further information will be given the Stockholders of this Company, and those interested in an enterprise of this kind are requested to attend a meeting which will be held at the office of the Company on SATURDAY EVENING, March 23d, at 7½ o'clock. mh18:n29

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LEGAL.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States.—Western District of Pennsylvania. In the matter of Eliza Megraw, a fem. sole trader, Bankrupt. No. 1,434 in Bankruptcy.

All creditors and other persons interested in the estate of the above named Bankrupt, are hereby required to take notice that J. H. Baldwin, assignee of said Bankrupt, has filed a petition in the office of the Clerk of the Court, praying for authority to compound and settle the claim of the said estate against Albert Austin and Dwight Loomis in the manner and according to the terms set forth in his said petition; and the Court has appointed SATURDAY, April 6th, 1872, at 1 o'clock, at the U. S. Court Rooms, in Pittsburgh, Pa. as the time for the hearing thereof, at which time and place all creditors and other persons interested in said estate may appear and show cause if any they have why an order should not be passed by the Court upon the petition authorizing such act on the part of the assignee.

S. C. McCANDLESS,
Clerk U. S. District Court.
J. H. BALDWIN, Assignee. mh25-n68-MWF

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Whereas letters of Administration upon the estate of JOHN PORTER, deceased, of the city of Pittsburgh, were duly granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and all claims will be presented, properly authenticated for settlement.
WM. DOUGLAS, Administrator,
March 7, 1872. 37 Federal street.
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